

The Weather
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Today: Light rains. Low, 38.
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OVERTHROW MUSSOLINI AND SAVE ITALY, CHURCHILL STERNLY WARNS PEOPLE, KING

Greeks Capture Crack Troops Flown to Albania; Trooper's Killer Believed in Escape-Proof Trap

Whole Garrison Of Duce's 'Best' Gives Up Arms

Fierce Dog-Fight Rages,
RAF Outnumbered
Five to One.

By the United Press.
ATHENS, Dec. 23.—Greek forces tonight swept closer to the Albanian seaport of Valona after seizing Italy's coastal base of Khimara and capturing its entire garrison of crack blackshirt troops whom Benito Mussolini had exalted as "the cement of the Fascist revolution."

An official communiqué announced that the little seaport of Khimara, 30 miles south of Valona, had fallen at dusk Sunday after a terrific 48-hour bombardment of its defenses and an assault by Greek Evzone warriors who swept down into its streets with bayonets after encircling the town.

Joy Reigns in Athens.

Tonight the Greeks, whose latest victory in their counter-invasion of Albania touched off wild demonstrations of joy in the streets of ancient Athens, held more than 45 miles of Albania's Adriatic coast and were reported driving steadily upon Valona through a rugged mountain pass.

The battalion of Blackshirts which surrendered at Khimara consisted of 800 men and 30 officers, every one a picked veteran of the wars in Ethiopia and Spain, it was said.

They had been flown to Albania within the past two weeks—perhaps aboard German Junkers transport planes—to bolster the demoralized Fascist forces, according to an official statement.

Greatest Aerial Dog-Fight.

Fierce air battles raged along the Albanian front, including perhaps the biggest aerial dog-fight thus far. British planes encountered a force of Fascist bombers over Argirocastro, were attacked by 50 Italian fighter planes and shot down eight and possibly 11 of the Italian aircraft, although the British were outnumbered five to one, the RAF said.

The entire Albanian country-side is being mercilessly bombed and machine-gunned by the Italians, reports from the front said.



THEY FLED FROM HITLER—Mrs. W. H. Wouters and her 12-year-old son Freddie are back in Atlanta. They fled from their native Holland, where they had gone eight years ago for a life of rest. Then Hitler's legions moved in and things became anything but peaceful.

Dutch Family, Unable To Bear German Rule, Returns Here

They Leave House Filled With Furniture, All Their
Money Tied Up in Banks, in Coming Home
to the Land of the Free.

By CAROLYN MCKENZIE.

Nazi suppression of citizens in Hitler-trampled countries is causing those who can flee from their native lands to a free country, and is thus making America an even more golden land of opportunity.

These are the sentiments of a family of four who came into Atlanta the other day. They lived here for six years, up until 1932 when they retired and returned to their native Holland to live in the land of flat countrysides, windmills, dykes and tulips, to enjoy the life for which they had saved their pennies. They took their money to Holland, invested it in a home in Apeldoorn, a small town in the heart of that low country, and spent days of leisure and pleasure until Herr Hitler sent his planes zooming over one morning early last May.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wouters (pronounced Waters) and their two children, Freddie, 12, and Wilhelmina, 16, are in Atlanta now away from the country where they "couldn't speak, hear, or do

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River Offers Only Avenue For Fleeing

Officers Comb Area;
Capture Expected
Soon.

Posses from two states have surrounded the killer of a Georgia highway patrolman, trapping him in a heavily wooded area seven miles square and bounded on three sides by armed policemen and on the fourth by the swift Tennessee river, more than a quarter of a mile in width.

The killer's only chance to escape from this new trap, officers believe, is to swim the rapids of the muddy Tennessee river under cover of darkness. With near-freezing temperature chilling the water and the opposite bank more than 450 yards away, police did not believe he would have a chance in such an attempt.

Fifth Trap Set.

This picture of the 68-hour chase, which has ranged over 70 miles from Ringgold, Ga., to Decatur, Tenn., was painted last night by Public Safety Commissioner Lon Sullivan who personally is conducting the search for a motorist who killed Corporal W. Fred Black Jr., late Friday night in north Georgia.

The new trap is the fifth which local and state police have laid for the murderer, and is believed to be practically escape proof. The last effort to nab him failed early yesterday morning when he was surprised in an attempt to steal an automobile, but managed to slip away.

Sullivan said the killer could not go far from the scene of that last attempt, and immediately threw a cordon of vigilantes at intervals of 50 feet around a square seven miles on each side.

Houses Searched.

Meanwhile, posses of 50 men, all heavily armed, beat the bushes inside that square and searched more than 100 farm houses in the area. Last night no trace was found. But officers were certain they would find him hiding in the thick underbrush.

The killer, according to Commissioner Sullivan, is believed to be Charles Butler, alias Charles Coates, an escape from the Buchanan county, Missouri, jail, who had been sentenced to life imprisonment as an habitual criminal.

Woman Held.

A woman, who was riding with him at the time of the shooting and who claimed she was married to the man, was being held with no charges against her. She had no connection with his previous record, however, and contrary to early reports, has not been charged with aiding the man in his prison break.

The unusual stamina of the prisoner in his flight from the scene has amazed officers in the hunt. He has traveled nearly 90 miles, in a serpentine, wandering course, from the lonely spot on Route 41 where he killed Trooper Black as he was being warned for a minor traffic offense.

About 45 miles of that trail was made in a stolen automobile, but the rest was by foot. The presence of 27 capsules of morphine in the killer's car led officers to believe he was under the influence of narcotics, stimulating him in his flight.

Nothing ruffled him. Fires raged, trains wrecked, gunmen battled police, important citizens shot themselves, took poison, or jumped off tall buildings. Mr. Fuhrman remained calm, sending reporters and photographers as needed.

No expressions of amazement ever passed his lips, no excitement ever caused his hands to tremble, or his heart to palpitate. As calmly and mechanically as a news service teletype machine tapping out the fall of nations, the defeat of armies, he did his work.

Then, as it comes to many men, fatherhood came yesterday to Mr. Fuhrman. And Mr. Fuhrman turned,

Mrs. Fuhrman and
Young Miss Fuhrman
Are Doing Well.

The night city editor of any morning newspaper is a tough individual.

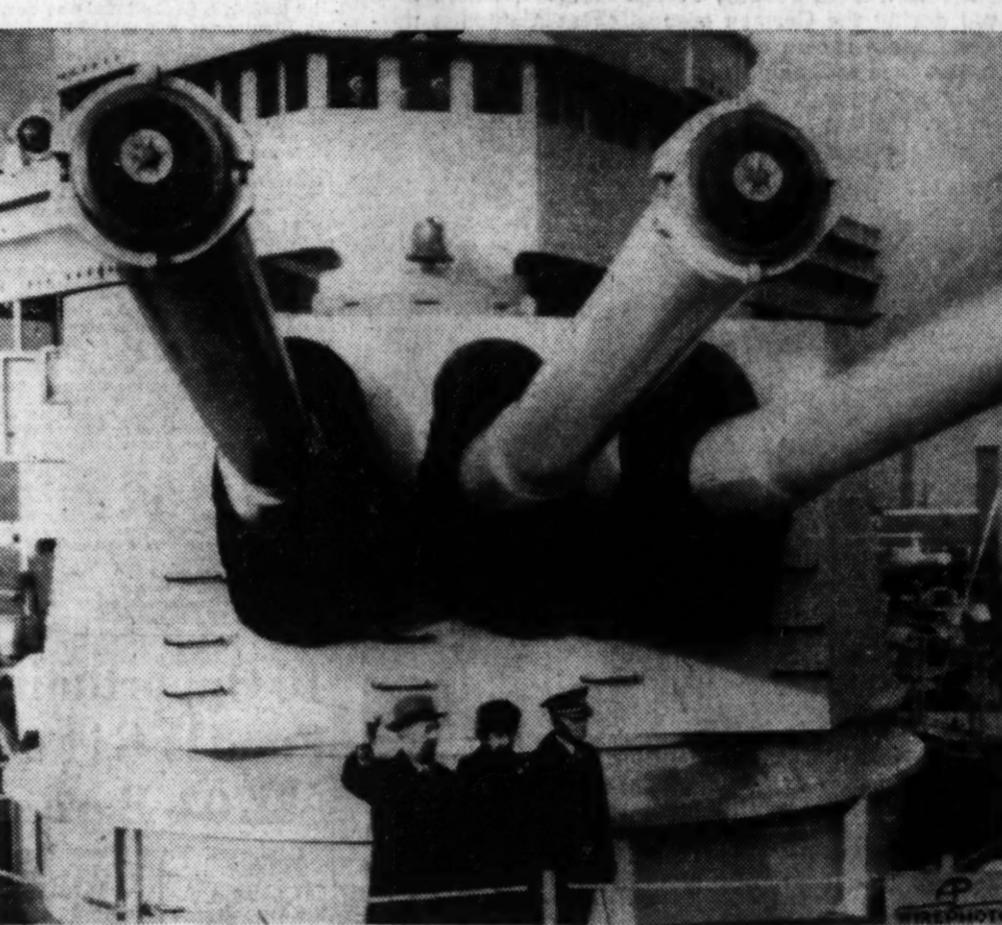
Mr. Lee Fuhrman, the night city editor of The Constitution, is no exception—or rather, up until yesterday, everybody thought he was no exception.

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LEAHY SAILS AGAIN—Dwarfed by a battery of eight-inch naval rifles, Admiral William D. Leahy, new ambassador to France, waves a farewell as he sailed from Norfolk yesterday aboard the cruiser Tuscaloosa for Lisbon and thence to Vichy, where he may play an important role in European events. With Admiral Leahy (left) are Mrs. Leahy and Captain L. P. Johnson, of the Tuscaloosa. (Story on Page 12.)

Thousands of British Tanks Ready for German Invasion

Since Dunkirk an Amazingly Large Number of
Divisions Have Been Armored With Machines
of New and Secret Design.

By DREW MIDDLETON.

WITH THE BRITISH ROYAL ARMORED CORPS SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, Dec. 23.—(R)—

Thousands of tanks in an amazingly large number of armored divisions are Britain's answer to Germany's Panzer divisions.

British officers confidently expect these tanks—many of new and secret design—to smash either a Nazi invasion attempt or deal a decisive stroke on the European continent at some future "day of revenge."

The British Expeditionary Force

is in Britain's modern army: The light tanks because they don't carry enough armor and can't handle rough country, and the big tanks because they are too slow.

The "I" tank is a formidable weapon. Its armor is so heavy that in the Flanders campaign it took direct hits from German 77-millimeter field pieces with no effect save the denting of its armor.

The "I" tank's armament includes a small gun which can toss a 12-pound shell 2,000 yards to pierce the armor of most

tanks, and it has a secondary weapon in the new Besa machine gun which pumps metal at the rate of 750 rounds per minute.

Speed is not essential to the "I" tank, which precedes infantry in attacks and only occasionally fights independently, but it can swing along at close to 20 miles per hour. Its crew of four gunners, wireless operator, driver and commander are interchangeable.

Army tanks are divided into two categories—the "I" tank for infantry, which operates exclusively with foot soldiers, and the cruiser tanks, which form the spearhead of the armored divisions.

"Fear naught," the motto of the Royal Tank Corps, has been balanced in the new construction with "get there fastest with the mostest men," with the new tanks emphasizing speed and fire power as never before.

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Neither the small, puddle-jumping whippet tanks nor the lumbering 50 and 60-ton monsters beloved of newsreels are in evidence. Both types are out of fa-

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Blow Is Dealt To Interstate Trade Curb

High Court Voids N. C.
Tax on Out-of-State
Retailers.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—(R)—

A North Carolina tax against out-of-state retailers displaying goods or samples there to obtain orders was held unconstitutional by the supreme court today on the ground that it discriminated against interstate commerce.

At the same time the court reaffirmed its 5-to-4 decision of last week upholding a Wisconsin tax of 2 1/2 per cent against the dividends of out-of-state corporations doing business there, the tax being levied against that part of the dividends attributed to the earnings from the Wisconsin operations.

The court also agreed to determine the constitutionality of Florida laws affecting the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers (ASCAP).

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Three Gifts Give \$3,703 Boost To Fund for 10 Opportunities

Constitution Employees
Adopt Mr. Q., Oppor-
tunity No. 23.

By FRANK DRAKE.

Three gifts totaling \$3,703.90 yesterday came to help Atlanta's neediest, deserving families during 1941 while they struggle with fate to become self-supporting.

And, in addition, the officials of the Constitutional "adopted" Opportunity No. 23, (Mr. Q.), who has a wife and two children and is too ill to work. He needs \$40 a month.

Cruiser tanks are the darlings of the Royal Tank Corps. As large as the "I" tanks, they weigh much less and are more than twice as fast. They can turn on a dime, and the one I rode in climbed hills, went crashing through underbrush and knocked down trees a foot and a half thick with a terrible nonchalance.

Their armament is almost identical with the "I" tanks, but the cruisers depend more on speed and maneuverability to resist enemy fire.

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Your Christmas Opportunity
Families No. 24 and No. 25 appear
today, Atlantans. Read the stories
of their troubles and see how you
can help them. Christmas is to-
morrow. Send donations to the
Ten Opportunity families right
now!

Opportunity No. 24

Pauline is 20 years old. She has been pushed from pillow to post since she was a small girl, when her father died. Her mother earned a living for herself and Pauline until the girl was graduated from high school.

She is your Christmas Opportunity No. 24. You have an opportunity to help this young lady become self-supporting, if you will send or bring a donation to the Ten Opportunity fund at the Constitutional. Pauline needs \$20 a month for a while, probably only for a short time.

She was born and reared in a

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Britain Needs Much U. S. Aid, Minister Says

Dr. Dobes, Missionary to Czechoslovakia, Visits Here.

Britain must have substantial help from the United States in order to win the war against Hitler, in the opinion of Dr. Joseph Dobes, American Methodist missionary to Czechoslovakia, who has just returned with his wife to Atlanta.

Dr. and Mrs. Dobes, who have been missionaries in Prague since 1922, were there during the German occupation and through the first phase of the war. They left Europe by way of Genoa, Italy, aboard an American freighter, after being delayed there for two days while the city was bombed by the French immediately after Mussolini declared war.

They are staying with their son, Dr. William L. Dobes, of 1050 Springdale road.

When the Nazis invaded Czechoslovakia, the storm troopers raided their home, seeking money, and threatened them with prison when they found none. This was the case with many Americans in the invaded nations, Dr. Dobes says. The money, when obtained, was turned over to the government for the armament program.

Although Dr. Dobes feels that Germany has a distinct advantage over Britain in their ability to produce food and materials for war, he still insists that in the end Hitler must lose.

"I believe in the justice of God," he said, "and God cannot let a man of that character rule very long."

Speaking of the German reorganization of industry in the conquered country, he pointed out that most of the factories and production plants have been moved from Czechoslovakia to Germany, and people in the Czechoslovakia area are made to do farming. In spite of the fact they produce much more food than before, he said, they have less, since the Germans take most of it as fast as it is produced.

Good food is rationed out in very small quantities, he said. Only one egg is allowed each person per month. Two cakes of soap must last a family two weeks. A family is allowed only six ounces of butter per week. Worst of all during the winter, he continued, is the rationing of coal, only 100 pounds per family each week. This proves entirely insufficient in the sub-zero temperature of parts of Czechoslovakia, and the only way families can keep warm is by putting their coal together.

Dr. Dobes thinks the German people would quickly revolt if they had opportunity, and that most of them are opposed to the present war. But that a revolt can only come from the army, since no one else is allowed firearms.

"It is difficult to know just how widespread the dissatisfaction is," he says, "because the people are afraid to speak. On the trains, in public places, they can never tell who among them is a spy. Thus the conversation in public places is very guarded."

When asked if he thought Hitler could continue to control the vast territory he has already captured, Dr. Dobes said it is comparatively easy to control the civilians with a few soldiers in each town, since nobody will offer resistance for fear of being shot.



NAZI RATIONING STUDIED—Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Dobes, back from Prague, Czechoslovakia, where they lived during the German occupation as Methodist missionaries, are shown examining a jar which, under the German food rationing, is supposed to contain lard for a family for three weeks. They are staying with their son, Dr. William Dobes, of 1050 Springdale Road.



GERMAN FOOD CHECK—Shown is a German food check for butter and fats which shows how the Nazis don't keep their promises. Although the check allows only a small amount, the quantity is further reduced when the merchant makes the check marks, meaning, "we're out of this number."

Dutch Family Two Ill Girls Unable To Bear Are Newest German Rule Opportunities

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small town, where her father did very well. After his death she and her mother came to Atlanta to live with her older brother, and her mother worked to earn their keep. Her brother, with a large family, was too hard-pressed to help his sister and his mother. After her mother died, Pauline had to be on her own. She has had temporary jobs, and eventually will surely land a permanent, paying job. But right now, she is ill and out of work. Christians tomorrow will be another dreary day to her—unless Atlantans help her in her time of trouble. Most likely it won't be long. Atlantans have never failed the Opportunity families. Can you fail this girl? Send a donation today!

Opportunity No. 25.

Evelyn W., 11, has had a heart ailment practically all her life. She is nervous and high-strung and is having a hard time in school. Whether she will ever be able to finish school is doubtful.

Her's is only one of the problems of this family of five. Her father, 38, is a carpenter by trade but has had only temporary work lately. He is not making enough to give Evelyn and her brothers, Fred, 13, and Walter, seven, and her mother, Mrs. W., who is 38, sufficient food and clothing.

Mr. W. tries hard. Until this year he had made enough for them to live on without asking help. He was out of work entirely for a long while and Fred quit school to get a job himself. Mr. W. was so anxious to keep his children in school he made Fred quit the job to go back, even though the little money the boy made was just about all the family had.

This Opportunity family needs but \$25 a month to help them through a crucial time. Mainly it is needed to buy good food for these three children, especially Evelyn. Giving to help a sick child grow into a healthy woman is not wasting your money. Send a gift to the Opportunity families today!

NEW YORK BUDGET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—(P)—The city council today adopted a capital budget of \$81,551,163.79 for 1941 and sent it to Mayor F. H. LaGuardia for his expected approval.

Italy Places Casualties In Six Months at 18,824

ROME, Dec. 23.—(P)—In the first six months of Italy's war, casualties in the Italian armed forces numbered 18,824, including 4,531 killed, an official resume stated today.

The report covered only the period from Italy's entry into the conflict, June 10 to December 12, and therefore did not include lat-

Special Patrol Is Organized By Boy Scouts

Emergency Group To Assist Fire, Police and First-Aid Units.

The first Boy Scout Emergency Patrol in the metropolitan area, consisting of seven members of Hapeville troop 117, was organized last night at a court of honor in the Fulton county courthouse.

Later, outstanding Scouts from troops in the entire area will be commissioned senior patrols, to be ready for service instantly in any emergency, and to aid local fire, police and first aid units.

Hapeville youths inducted last night are Gene and J. H. Dennington, Forrest Garrard, Bill Howington, King C. Timmons Jr., Earl Waddy and David Wells.

Membership in emergency patrols hinges on the possession of First Class Scout rank and the earning of merit badges in emergency work.

A feature of the special court of honor, conducted by J. S. Roberts, Atlanta council head, was a special message from Brigadier General Marion Williamson, head of selective service in Georgia. The message, as follows, was read by Lieutenant Colonel Elbert P. Tuttle:

"More so than ever the motto of the Boy Scouts of America is the motto of the nation—'Be Prepared.' No right thinking person can discount the part that Scouts and Guides can play in the defense of America. If the nation as a whole could adopt and live by the Scout law as the problem of defense in all its ramifications would be completely solved.

Never was there a greater need for clear thinking and clean living in the history of our country than today. One of the principal factors in the success of a democracy is a youth's prerogative to think and dream for himself and then to make his dreams come true. For another reason, this very fact will cause all Scouts to live by and affirm their motto as you now know it in part that 'On my honor I will do my duty to God and my country.'

It is not a coincidence that a majority of the recipients of the George Washington Bicentennial Medal who are within the ages of 12 to 18 have been Boy Scouts. I would not say that Scouts were braver or had more valor than other citizens, but they are better trained to be heroes. This same type of training must and will be intensified and no one will doubt my intent that our first Emergency Service Corps Unit be first induced into service. Scout leaders know better than any one else that the best way to prepare for a national emergency is to amass information from the knowledge of the excellent administrative policies of the Scout organization that the Boy Scouts of America will continue to 'Be Prepared.'

10 Opportunity Fund Is Given \$3,703-Boost

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has given a grant of \$1,703.90 for the Opportunity families.

A "friend" who likes to help poor people anonymously has sent a check for \$1,000 to "adopt" some of the needy people whose stories have been told you this Christmas in the Constitution.

The Constitution, and the Family Welfare Society, which co-operates with this newspaper each Christmas in presenting the city's neediest families, extends appreciation and thanks to Mrs. Evans, members of the board of trustees of the Joseph B. Whitehead Foundation, and to the anonymous "friend" for their generous gifts.

The money, every cent of it, will be spent rehabilitating heavily-burdened mothers and fathers and in seeing that growing children have sufficient food and a chance to get an education.

To Give Total.

In the Constitution tomorrow morning, the total given to the Opportunity families this Christmas will be told. Help make it big by sending your contribution right now, because there is always much work to be done by the Ten Opportunity Fund.

Today, the stories of Opportunity Families No. 24 and No. 25 are told. These families need your help. It isn't too late to assure them of a merry Christmas and a chance in 1941!

On Christmas morning, The Constitution will tell you who "adopted" Opportunity families, and who contributed to help in this, the most worthy, manner.

Small Gifts Help.

Helping these Opportunity families overcome such problems as death, injury, desertion, and illness is what counts in giving at Christmas time, Atlantans. A penny helps and a \$1,000 helps. Small donations mount up to give security to families about to go under.

Here's a list of some contributions which came yesterday:

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Irvin	\$20
William Monk Jr.	1
Cash	1
Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Binder	5
A Sympathetic Widow	1
E. B. Adams	10
A Friend (for Opportunity No. 14)	15
A Friend (for Opportunity No. 17)	10
Cash	1
L. W.	1

Total \$66

Swell that total today, Atlantans. Bring or send a donation to Hugo H. Trott, vice president and business manager of The Constitution. He is treasurer of the Ten Opportunity Fund.

Give as generously as you can so that poor, needy children and men and women will be made happy on Christmas day—and have a chance during 1941!



SCOUT EMERGENCY PATROL—Fulton county's first Boy Scout emergency patrol was organized last night. Here the youths are shown receiving their awards from Colonel Elbert Tuttle, Georgia National Guard. Left to right are J. E. Dennington, King C. Timmons, Earl Waddy, Gene Dennington, David Wells, Forrest Garrard, Bill Howington and Colonel Tuttle, back to camera. All of the boys are members of Hapeville Troop No. 117.

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Fulton county's first Boy Scout

F.D.R. Plans Broadcast on Foreign Affairs

Will Discuss Defense Progress Sunday Night.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—(P)—President Roosevelt will broadcast to the American people next Sunday night a report on his administration of national affairs and conduct of foreign relations.

The chief executive will speak from 8:30 to 9 p.m. (Atlanta time) over all major networks. Stephen T. Early, White House press secretary, announcing arrangements for the address said today that Mr. Roosevelt would "report to the country regarding the present emergency."

It was expected that much of the President's address, his first since the November election, would be devoted to the national defense program and to the administration's aid-to-Britain policy.

Sort of "Preview."

In some administration quarters, the speech was regarded as a sort of "preview" for the President's forthcoming "state-of-the-nation" message to the new congress.

Among other things, this message is expected to discuss the matter of further aid to Britain and perhaps present formally the "lease-lend" plan of assistance which Mr. Roosevelt outlined at a press conference last week. This proposal would have the United States lease or lend war materials to Great Britain, to be returned or replaced when the present conflict is over.

There has been speculation, too, that the President might ask the new congress to alter the neutrality law and permit American ships to carry arms to Britain. The possibility of taking over some of the foreign ships in American ports and eventually making them available to the British is understood to be another question which the administration is studying.

Faced By Congress.

Whether or not the administration raises the issue of amending the neutrality law, it appears certain to come up in congress. A bloc of senators already favors it.

The address also will afford Mr. Roosevelt opportunity, if he wishes, to:

Make an indirect reply to recent threatening objections voiced in Berlin and Rome to American aid to Britain.

Give stimulus to the campaign already under way by the new defense agency, headed by William S. Knudsen, to stir the American people to greater efforts in behalf of the defense program.

F.D.R.'s Scotty Receives Christmas Mail and Gift

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—(P)—President Roosevelt's black Scotty, Fala, received some Christmas mail today and a box of cookies.

The communications were signed with dog's names—"Noodie Van Loon, of Old Greenwich, Conn., and "Rip Patterson, of Pittsburgh."

"I saw your picture in the paper," said the letter from Noodie. "I do hope you like these cookies as much as I do."

From Rip Patterson came a letter saying:

"A magazine refers to you as a 'silent and understanding companion.' Don't ever change. Your master must have few enough who fall into that category."

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Constitution Staff Photo—Bill Wilson.
FIREMEN PLAY SANTA—The Atlanta Fire Department's Christmas project under sponsorship of Firemen's Local No. 134 and the Ladies' Auxiliary No. 1 of the fire department was held last night at Station No. 7. And at Station No. 9, a Christmas party was also held. The picture shows Santa Claus doing his stuff at Station No. 9.

Strict Working Hours Are Set By Zode Smith

Waterworks Official Moves To Protect Records of the City.

Strict working hours were set yesterday for 60 waterworks employees by W. Zode Smith, departmental manager, moved to protect city records.

Smith asked L. Glenn Dewberry, superintendent of the city hall, to bar employees from the water department before 7:45 o'clock each morning and after 4:30 o'clock in the afternoons. The only exception was a list of those who "have business there after working hours," which Smith is to furnish Dewberry.

The new system became effective yesterday, and employees lined up awaiting the stroke of the bell to start the day's work and in the afternoon they were ready to leave as the clock struck the quitting hour.

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U. S. in War Next Summer—Rickenbacker

World War Ace Says America To Be Greatest Power.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 23.—(P)—Captain Eddie Rickenbacker, World War ace, said today on his arrival here for a vacation that he believed the United States would be at war against Germany by next summer.

Rickenbacker, president of the Eastern Air Lines, said that in his opinion with the co-operation of America's Spanish-speaking nations, the United States would soon be the greatest military power in the world.

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Every employee who had been with the concern for six months or more received one week's salary, while those employed five months received a half-week's salary. Others were paid a bonus of \$5.

In presenting the checks, company officials praised the co-operation of the employees and expressed gratitude for their support and industry in making the year a banner one.

Regenstein Gives \$5,000 in Bonuses

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Silverware Given To Commissioners

Employees of Fulton County played "Santa Claus" to the commissioners yesterday when they presented them with gifts at a brief Christmas ceremony presided over by Judge Paul S. Etheridge.

Commissioner J. A. Ragsdale, chairman of the public works committee, was presented with a handsome set of silver on his retirement from the board. Ragsdale, who served on the board for eight years, will be replaced January 1 by Charlie Brown, Atlanta manufacturer.

The other commissioners, E. L. Almand, Dr. C. R. Adams, I. Gior Hailey and Troy Chastain were presented silver trays and other remembrances.

All of the commissioners, Frank Fling, secretary to the board, and Judge Etheridge made brief speeches.

Ettl, Portrait Sculptor And Inventor, Succumbs

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—(P)—John Ettl, 68, portrait sculptor, who was credited with inventing the first machine to enlarge sculptures, died Sunday.

States enlarged for public monuments included the pediment sculptures on the United States Supreme Court and Archives building in Washington. Recently he completed a bust of President Roosevelt.

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Big Christmas Dinner Is Set At McPherson

460 Soldiers Will Consume 200 Turkeys and Trimmings.

In case anybody wants to attack Fort McPherson, Christmas Day is the time to do it.

Because on that day the post's normal complement of 1,325 men will be reduced to 400 soldiers. The majority are taking advantage of Yuletide leaves and permits which enable men in uniform to travel for one cent.

And the 400 soldiers who are left behind won't be in any mood Christmas Day to resist an attack; that is, if the attack comes after dinner. If they do resist, the Army will be moving on this kind of stomach:

Oyster stew, roast turkey with dressing; giblet gravy, baked yams, mashed potatoes, green beans, bread, hot mince pie, cake, ice cream, assorted nuts, coffee, cranberry sauce, cigars, cigarettes and plenty of candy.

Captain Paul Turner, who is in charge of the mess (if you can call a dinner like that a mess), says that second, third and fourth helpings will be available.

Along with the 400 regulars will be 60 inductees, held over at the post until they can be transferred to training camps. This small army will consume 200 turkeys Christmas Day.

At Fort Benning, in Columbus, the special dinner will be supplemented by a Christmas Day program featuring a series of radio broadcasts sending personal messages from the men to their homes. Over 75 voices will be heard on the broadcast.

ALABAMA TO STUDY PHENIX CITY VICE

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 23. (UP)—Governor Frank Dixon today ordered T. Weller Smith, director of the State Department of Public Safety, to contact Army officials at Fort Benning, Ga., for a "general discussion" of vice conditions this side of the border.

Smith was told to meet representatives of General L. R. Ferdinand, commanding officer of the Army post, who last week requested the Governor to aid in the Army's attempt to stamp out vice at the office of the cleric of Fulton criminal court.

The pardon notice said the woman is 65 years old. Her police record shows a previous lottery conviction and a sentence of four months.

The Army IN GEORGIA

The Army's great 2,000-bed, \$3,000,000 general hospital, now under construction at old Camp Gordon, is scheduled to be completed and ready for its soldier occupants by the first of March, Joseph Cooper, of the firm of Cooper & Cooper, architect-engineers on the mammoth job, said yesterday.

Designed for the greatest utility, and to be equipped with the finest clinical equipment known to medical science, the 128 buildings of the hospital will be arranged in five rows, with the buildings connected by covered passageways. The entire layout will be 3,200 feet long and 1,500 feet wide, of rectangular shape.

Due to the fact that it must soon begin to serve the entire Fourth Corps Area, where thousands of soldiers are now concentrated, the buildings will be of temporary construction which consists of wooden framing, asbestos siding over pine sheeting with paper insulation and rolled paper roofing.

The group of buildings comprise ward buildings, clinics, quarters for officers, nurses, and enlisted personnel, supply and storage buildings, an administration building and a recreation building.

The Griffin Construction Company has the contract for grading and drainage work, the War Department announced yesterday.

Five-Year-Old Girl Hit, Killed by Alabama Cab

LANGDALE, Ala., Dec. 23. (P)—Struck by a taxicab today on the West Point, Ga., and Opelika highway, a 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Buchanan, of Langdale, was injured fatally. Alabama state highway patrolmen investigated.

NORTH CAROLINIAN ORDERED TO SCREVEN

WASHINGON, Dec. 23.—(P)—The War Department announced today the training center of the 252d Coast Artillery, a North Carolina unit, would be transferred

Congressmen Criticize Canal Zone Defenses

Military Affairs Committee Urges Sending More Planes.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—(P)—Two American house members just returned from a visit to Panama asserted today that Canal Zone defenses were inadequate.

But while criticizing the existing safeguards, Representative Harness, Republican, Indiana, said without elaboration that negotiations were under way with the Panamanian government "for defense stations actually outside the zone."

Harness, a Military Affairs committeeman, and Representative Bradley, Republican, Michigan, discussed canal defenses in statements, Bradley asserting that airplanes should be sent there "as fast as they come off the production line."

He said he did not take issue with the furnishing of aircraft to Britain rapidly, but asked:

"If the Panama Canal is the lifeline of America, why not at least have in the zone at all times, even if only for a few weeks at a time, the latest and most efficient aircraft that comes off our production line and after they have been there for a few weeks, then ship them abroad if the need exists for them . . ."

"I did not see a single modern airplane in the entire Canal Zone."

MRS. LILLIAN WOOTEN.

Mrs. Lillian Wooten, 64, of 434 Piedmont avenue, N. E., died yesterday in an Atlanta hospital. She is survived by a sister, Mrs. L. G. Greer, of Houston, Texas, and a brother, Clarence Stockman, of County Line, Okla. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Brandon-Bond-Condon.

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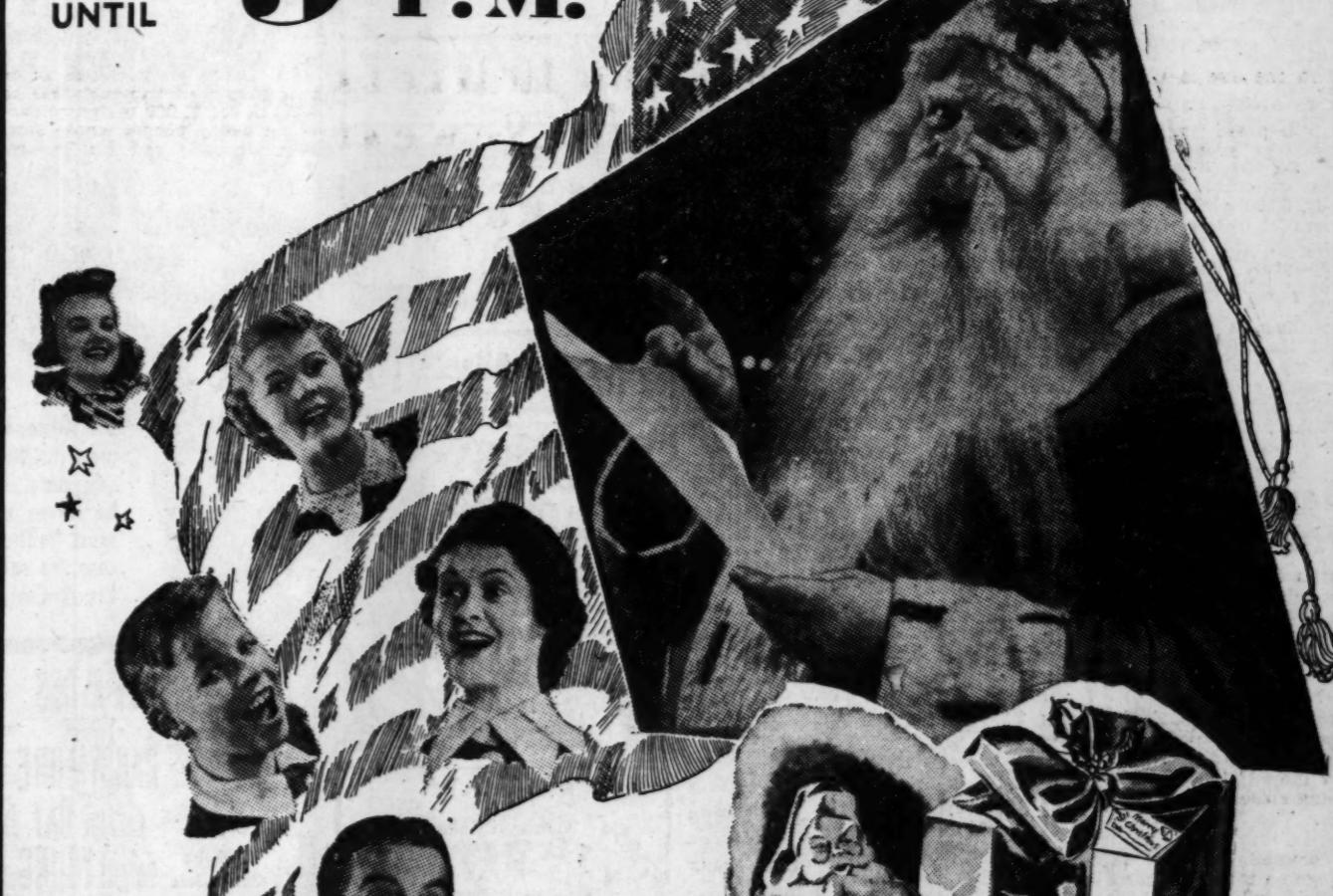
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Movie Party Will Be Held For Orphans

Constitution and Loew's Grand Will Entertain 400 Children.

Many young hearts will throb with excitement this morning when more than 400 orphans will attend the opening holiday performance of "The Thief of Bagdad" as guests of The Constitution and Loew's Grand theater. In the party will be children from the Georgia Baptist Orphans' Home in Hapeville, the Methodist Children's Home in Decatur, the Hillsdale Cottages and the Hebrew Orphanage. The party will get under way at 10:30 o'clock at Loew's Grand, and arrangements have been completed for special transportation to and from the theater.

Produced by Alexander Korda at a cost of more than \$2,000,000, "The Thief of Bagdad" presents an all-star cast headed by Sabu, the young Indian boy who will be remembered for his outstanding performance in "Elephant Boy." He is supported by June Duprez, Conrad Veidt, John Justin, Rex Ingram and a company of over 2,000. Both Sabu and Miss Duprez were present at the world premiere of Bagdad, which was held at Warm Springs in October at the special request of President Roosevelt.

Manager Eddie Pentecost of Loew's has completed all arrangements for the comfort of the children and their chaperones today and a happy Christmas party is in store for the youngsters.

7,500 Inmates To Be Dined at State Hospital

Full Christmas Feast Is Planned for Patients Tomorrow.

Special to THE CONSTITUTION.
MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga., Dec. 23.—Plans for Baldwin county's largest Christmas dinner already are under way.

The dinner, always the largest and one of the most elaborate in the county, will be served to the 7,500 inmates of the Milledgeville State Hospital.

The menu announced by E. J. Newmeyer, steward, includes: roast turkey and chicken with oyster dressing, cranberry jelly, giblet gravy, English peas, glazed sweet potatoes, cakes, candies, fruits, nuts, coffee, rolls and butter.

An idea of the magnitude of the meal can be obtained from the following list of supplies on hand: 4,500 pounds of turkey and chicken, 75 gallons of oysters, 1,800 pounds of cake, 100 boxes of oranges, 2,000 pounds of bananas, 90 boxes of raisins, 4,500 pounds of candies, 450 No. 10 cans of English peas, 90 No. 10 cans of cranberry jelly and 6,500 pounds of nuts.

Christmas is not just another day at the institution. The patients are allowed to exchange gifts with each other and with their nurses. Decorations are seen in all the buildings, old and new alike.

Atlantan Charged With Mail Theft

Curtis Smith, 25, of a Ford street address, was held for the federal grand jury yesterday under \$300 bond, charged with stealing a package containing a \$109.94 check from the top of a mail box.

According to United States Commissioner David J. Meyerhardt, Smith voluntarily surrendered himself to the FBI after a clothing store refused to cash the check. The FBI turned him over to postal inspectors. Smith told the commissioner he saw the package on top of the mail box in the Palmer building, opened it, threw away several books and papers he found and kept the check.

Macon Man Succumbs In Cell in Albany Jail

ALBANY, Ga., Dec. 23.—(P)—W. M. (Jack) Smiley, 42, who gave his address as Macon, died of natural causes this morning in police barracks at the city hall, a coroner's jury decided today.

The man was found dead in his cell, officers said.

He had been arrested last week on a charge of drunkenness, police stated, and when released had been taken to the railroad station, where it was presumed he had boarded a train for his home.

However, he was picked up again for being drunk and returned to the jail, where he died.

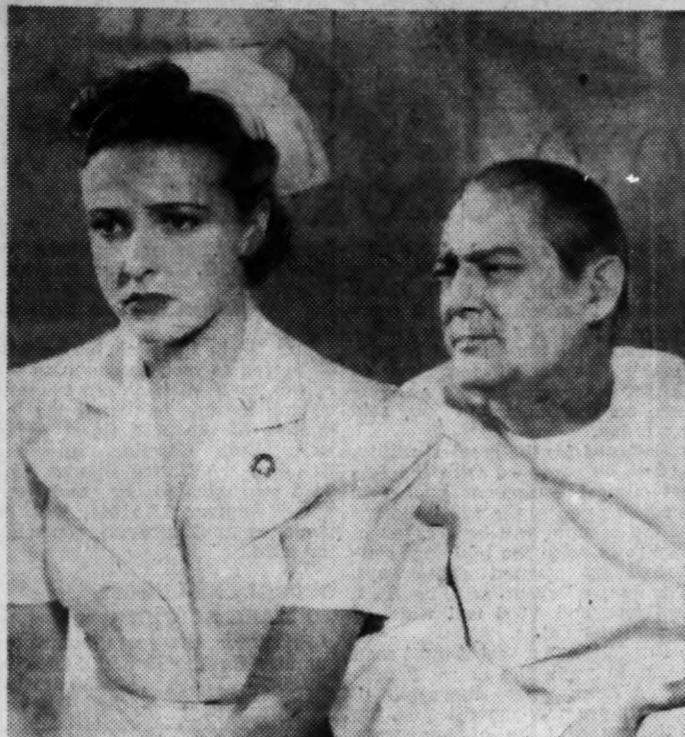
Coroner C. W. Thomas said the body would be held here until contact could be made with relatives.

Shirley Temple To Sign New Film Contract Soon

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 23.—(P)—Shirley Temple and Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studio are scheduled to sign a contract Thursday that will return the 11-year-old star to the screen.

The studio and Shirley's mother, Mrs. George Temple, have had a tentative agreement on the contract for some time, but the signing has been postponed to enable Shirley to have a full year's vacation from pictures.

M-G-M officials said a musical in which Shirley would sing and dance and an original story of dramatic character are under consideration as vehicles for the little girl who once was the No. 1 box office attraction of the movies.



DR. KILDARE'S ANGELS—Laraine Day and Lionel Barrymore continue looking out for Jimmy Kildare in the newest of these medical films, "Dr. Kildare's Crisis," which opens a first-run engagement at the Rhodes today. Robert Young is in the cast for the first time.

Dr. Kildare Film Opens at Rhodes

"Dr. Kildare's Crisis," a first-run film, will open a week's run at the Rhodes theater today, with Robert Young in the cast for the first time in the history of the medical picture series.

Lew Ayres again plays "Dr. Kildare" and Lionel Barrymore, Sir Dr. Gillespie," while Laraine Day is still his sweetheart. Young plays Miss Day's brother.

Difficulties arise when Miss Day's brother arrives in an apparent epileptic state. As the mental trouble is hereditary, she calls off her marriage to Dr. Kildare. Th. brother then becomes a "mystery patient" to add excitement to the film.

\$33,937,377 Order For Army Trucks Given

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—(P)—The War Department announced today that it had awarded contracts for \$33,937,377 worth of trucks.

The largest order, \$31,718,137, went to the Yellow Truck and Coach Manufacturing Company, Pontiac, Mich. The Corbitt Company, Henderson, N. C., received a \$1,460,000 contract, and Mack International, Long Island, N. Y., a \$759,200 contract.

Clearance work now engages 23,000 men in the London area.

Amusement Calendar

Downtown Theaters

CAPITOL—"Mexican Spitfire Out West," with Lupe Velez, Leon Errol, etc., Newark. Short Subjects.

FOX—"No Time for Comedy," with James Stewart, Robert Lowell, etc., at 12:30, 5:29, 7:29 and 9:21.

LOEW'S GRAND—"The Thief of Bagdad," with Conrad Veidt, Sabu, June Duprez, etc. Newark and short subjects.

PALACE—"Trial of the Vigilantes," with Franchot Tone, Anne Devine, Broderick Crawford, etc., at 12:00, 3:37, 3:54, 5:51, 7:48 and 9:45.

PLAZA—"Roller Derby," with Penny Singleton, Ruthie Lake, Lurene Tuttle, etc., at 11:37, 2:04, 4:01, 5:58, 7:55 and 9:32.

RHODES—"One Night in the Tropics," with Judy Garland, Nellie Kelly, George Murphy, Charles Winninger, Douglas MacPhail, etc., at 12:30, 3:37, 5:51, 7:48 and 9:45.

RIALTO—"East Side of Heaven," with Bing Crosby, and "Rolling Ward," with Tex Ritter.

CAROUSEL—"Tenderfoot Ride," with Gene Autry—"The Lady in Question," with Brian Aherne.

Night Spots

ATLANTA BILTMORE HOTEL—Empire Room—Al Apollon and his orchestra, Jeanne Renard, songsstress, playing dinner-dance music nightly from 7 p.m. until 12 midnight.

WISTERIA GARDENS—Tommy Rosen and his orchestra, playing dinner-dance music nightly from 7 p.m. until 1 a.m.

ASYLUM—"Hell's Angels," with Ben Young and His Orchestra playing dinner-dance music nightly from 7 p.m. until 1 a.m.

HERALD GRABER—Spanish Room—Vivian Karr and his orchestra, playing dinner-dance music nightly from 7 p.m. until 12 midnight.

Neighborhood Theaters

ALPHA—"Brother Orchid," with Edward G. Robinson.

AMERICAN—"Remember the Night," with Fred MacMurray.

BANKHEAD—"The Saint Takes Over," with George Sanders.

BROOKLYN—"Hell's Angels," with Jean Harlow.

BUCKHEAD—"Isle of Doomed Men," with Carol Landis.

CASCADE—"Debutante No. 1," with Brenda Joyce.

COLLEGES PARK—"Edison the Man," with Spencer Tracy.

DECATUR—"Huckleberry Finn," with Mickey Rooney.

DEKALB—"Riding Round the Mountain," with Bob Burns.

EAST POINT—"Under the Big Top," with Anna Nagel.

EMORY—"Careen," with Anne Shirley.

EMPORIUM—"Sea Raiders," with Carole Landis.

EUCLID—"Spring Parade," with Deanna Durbin.

FIRWOOD—"River's End," with Dennis Morgan.

FAIRFAX—"Charlie Chan's Murder Cruise," with Sidney Toler.

FULTON—"Twenty Mule Team," with Wallace Berry.

GARDEN—"Murder from Justice," with Roger Pryor.

GORDON—"Down Argentine Way," with Don Ameche.

HANNAH—"Johnny Apollo," with Tyrone Power.

HILAN—"Scatterbrain," and "You're Not Kidding."

KIRKWOOD—"The Doctor Takes a Wife," with Loretta Young.

LITTLE FIVE POINTS—"The Bumsteads Bring Up Baby."

PALACE—"The Man I Married," and "South to Karanga."

PEACHTREE—"Man Against the Sky," with Richard Dix.

PLAZA—"Strike Up the Band," with Mickey Rooney.

POINTER—"Mystery Sea Raiders," with Henry Wilcoxon.

RUSSELL—"Sidewalks of London," with Charles Laughton.

SYLVAN—"The Deacon," with Bob Burns.

TECHWOOD—"The Great McGinty," with Alan Ladd.

TEMPLE—"Charlie Chan's Murder Cruise," with Sidney Toler.

TENTH STREET—"Love Never Dies," with Dorothy Lamour.

WEST END—"Gangs of Chicago," with Lola Lane.

Colored Theaters

ASHBY—"Star Dust," with Linda Darnell.

ROYAL—"Honolulu," with Eleanor Powell.

STEEL—"The Texans," with all-star cast.

LINCOLN—"Lightning Strikes West," with Ken Maynard.

HARLEM—"New Frontier," with the Three Mesquites.

Ben Young has brought his "Young Ideas in Music" orchestra to the Rainbow Roof of the Anseley hotel for a holiday season engagement and the musical strains on the roof these nights are "soft and sweet" and danceable.

The band, which Young originated while a student at the University of Texas, got its first break when hired by Billy Rose to play at the Fort Worth fair back in 1934. It numbers nine musicians, Ben and the personable girl singer, Ginny Braynard.

Well balanced musically, the aggregation provide a sweet rhythm which is played softly and without blare and which should be ideally suited to crowded dance floors during the holiday season. The leader himself is a personable front for the orchestra. He meets the guests well and drops around to tables for chats during brief intermissions, a trait which has won him many friends among the patrons, most of whom had never even heard of Ben Young's orchestra before.

The program includes a turkey dinner, a floor show from the Spanish Room of the Henry Grady hotel, and gifts of fruits, nuts and candy contributed by Atlanta merchants.

McDuffie pointed out that many now successful Atlanta business men had attended the parties in years past.

"The qualities of hustle and initiative that it requires to sell newspapers also seem to make for success in other fields," he said. "A great many names now familiar to Atlanta in the business world are to be found in the lists of newsboys attending previous Christmas parties. We hope to provide the boys and men with a few hours of relaxation and a good time that may inspire them with new courage and achievement."

Annual Event Is Given by Atlanta Business, Professional Men.

Atlanta's newsboys, 350 of them, both young and old, will take time off from their duties tonight to attend their annual classic, the newsboys Christmas dinner, at 7 o'clock at the Henry Grady hotel.

Approximately 300 white newsboys will attend one party, and 50 Negro newsboys will be guests at another. Both are given by Atlanta business and professional men in the newsboys Christmas dinner committee, headed by Phil McDufie, who has had charge of the newsboys program each year since it was begun 25 years ago.

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A BIG STOP FOR SANTA—Residents of the White House must have pleased Santa with their behavior during the past year from the looks of all these packages laid out neatly by the Christmas tree in the east room.

Staff Is Given Yule Presents By President

Receives Sterling Key Rings With Miniatures of Scottie.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—(AP)—From the White House to alley dwellings, bustling preparation for Christmas were in progress to night, but beneath it all there was an undertone of sadness, especially in diplomatic homes.

Everyone in the White House executive office knocked off work in midafternoon and tramped into the handsome oval room to say "Merry Christmas to you, Mr. President" and to you, Mrs. Roosevelt."

Each received in return a happy Yuletide wish, a handshake from the President and a sterling silver key ring from which dangled a miniature of "Falla", the perky Scottie who is never far from his master and often gets his daily ration from the presidential hand.

To the Army and Navy the President sent the following message:

"To the fine personnel of our rapidly increasing military and naval forces, I extend the sincerest of holiday greetings."

"You have earned the gratitude and admiration of every citizen of the United States. Whether you be on the land or sea during this holiday season, I trust your Christmas will be a merry one, and that the New Year will bring happiness and success."

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the musical program will be presented at 11 o'clock tonight, followed by holy communion. Joseph Ragan, organist and choir master, will direct the vested choir of 50 voices and the following songs will be sung: "La Nativite," Jean Langlais; "O Rejoice, Ye Christians, Loudly," Bach; "Through the Dark the Dreamers Came," Mabel Daniels; "As Lowly We Watched," Austrian carol; "No Candle Was There an' No Fire," Liza Lehmann; "Shepherds' Christmas Song," Austrian carol; "Beautiful Saviour," twelfth century melody; "The Shepherds' Story," Dickinson; "Christ Is Born," Philip James; "Cantic de Noel," Adam, and "Nunc Dimitis," Bach.

Midnight Ceremony.

The choral celebration of holy communion at St. John's Episcopal church, College Park, will begin at 11:30 o'clock tonight preceded by carols and special Noel music. The Young Peoples' League will begin caroling at 7 o'clock tonight, and the second holy communion celebration will be at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

"A Christmas Cantata" by Matthews will be presented at the Christmas service at 11 o'clock tonight at the Cathedral of St. Philip. Solos will include "The Annunciation," "There Were Shepherds Abiding in the Fields," "O Lovely Voices of the Sky," "Sleep Holy Babe," "The Journey of the Shepherds," and "The Quest of the Magi." The chorus will sing "Behold the Days Come" and "Awake, Put on Thy Strength, O Zion." Lucien Thomson is harpist and Tom Brumby is organist and choir master. Bishop H. J. Mikell will conduct the midnight services. Tomorrow the services will be conducted by Dean Raimundo de Ovies at 10:30 o'clock and the Junior choir will sing.

Choral Communion.

Traditional Christmas services will be held in numerous Atlanta churches today and tomorrow and beautiful carols will be sung in the observance of the birth of Jesus. Tonight there will be midnight services and various coral and candlelight programs.

The Thirteenth Union Sunrise service of the Young People's Commission of the Atlanta Christian Council will be held at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning at the St. Mark Methodist church. Miss Alberta Sedgwick, chairman of the Young People's Commission, will preside. Participating in the service will be Dr. Lester Rum-

Choral Communion.

Among the churches offering worship services are the Church of the Incarnation of West End. The choir will present a Christmas music concert at 11:30 o'clock followed by the midnight choral communion. Mrs. Mozelle Horton, Young is organist and choir director. The program will include "Break Forth, O Beauteous Heavenly Light," Bach; "Lo, How a Rose," Praetorius; "The Sleep of the Child Jesus," Gervaeart; three Slovakin carols arranged by Koontz, and "O Holy Night," by Adam. Solos will be "The Virgin's Sweet Song," Reger, sung by Miss Elizabeth Cunningham, and "Jesus Bambino," Yon, sung by Mrs. Eleanor Berry. Violin solo, "Arioso," Bach, and "Ave Maria," Bach-Gounod, will be played by Mrs. Frances Collins Hutcheson, guest soloist.

The chorus choir of the St. Luke's Episcopal church, under the direction of Hugh Hodgson, organist and choir director, will present the Christmas portion of the Holy Communion. Songs will include "Come Ye," "And the Glory of the Lord," "Behold a Virgin Shall Conceive," "O Thou That Tellest Good Tidings," "For Unto Us Is Born," "There Were Shepherds Abiding," "And the Angel Said Unto Them," "Glory to God," "Rejoice Greatly," and "Hallelujah." The regular quartet is composed of Miss Minna Hecker, soprano; Miss Margaret Fisher, contralto; C. E. Drummond, tenor, and Coleman Kimbro, baritone. Guest artists will be Robert Harrison, first violin; Miss Frances Hudson, second violin; Miss Lorraine Tait, viola, and Miss Eleanor Hodges, cello, forming the stringed quartet, and Mrs. Irene Leftwich Harris at the piano. Holy Communion also will be celebrated at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning and the Rev. John Moore Walker, rector, will deliver the Christmas sermon.

To Feature Music. The midnight choral eucharist of the Holy Trinity Episcopal church tonight will feature music under the direction of Francis Mitchell, organist and choir director. The program will include "Christmas Eve," Malling; "O Come All Ye Faithful," Oakley; "Bethlehem," Stickles; "Virgin's Slumber Song," Reger-Hodgson; "Jesus Bambino," Yon; "Shepherd's Song," Dickinson; "The Angels Song," Stickles; "Silent Night," Mohr; "O Holy Night," Adams; "Holy Offerings Rich and Rare," Monsell; "In Excelsis Gloria," Brown; "Star of My Soul," Anon.; "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," Wesley, and "Joy to the World," Watts.

At All Saints' Episcopal church

To Celebrate Mass.

Midnight mass will be celebrated tonight in the Catholic churches. Christmas mass will be said every half-hour from 6 o'clock tomorrow morning through 11:30 o'clock at the Sacred Heart church. At the Church of Christ the King mass will be celebrated each hour from 7 o'clock tonight through 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. In addition to the midnight service tonight at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, there will be a service at 8 o'clock and mass will be celebrated at 8, 9:30 and 11:15 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Festival midnight holy eucharist, the church high mass of Christmas, will be at 11:30 o'clock tonight at the Liberal Catholic Church of St. Michael the Archangel. The sermon will be "The Tabernacle of God." The procession of the blessed sacrament will be held and the service repeated at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. Masses under the direction of Mrs. Ine P. Theos, will include: "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," "Silent Night, Holy Night," "Gloria in Excelsis," Kyrie Eleison, Gradual, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," "Sursum Corda," Preface, Sanctus, Benedictus, "Adeste Fidelis," and "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

Candlelight Service.

In the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer the annual Christmas Eve candlelight service will be held at 11:30 o'clock tonight. The Scriptural narrative of the nativity will be read by the Rev. J. M. Erick, pastor, and the congregation, led by the junior and senior choir, will sing Christmas carols at intervals during the narrative. The instrumental progress will be given by Henry and Marion Shoefelt, violinists, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Annette Hart.

The Lutheran Church of the Redeemer will have an early morning service at 7 o'clock. Dr. John L. Yost, pastor, will preach on "Glad Tidings of Great Joy."

The Grace Missouri Synod Lutheran church will have children's service at 7:30 o'clock tonight. "A Pageant of the Christmas Story." Music will include "

The First Noel," traditional carol, "Canticle de Noel," Adam, and "The Rising Sun," Torgussen. At 10 o'clock tomorrow morning the festival service will include the following songs: "Odeste Fidelis," "From Heaven Above to Earth I Come," and "Hark the Herald Angels Sing."

The Rev. Theodore G. Ahrendt, pastor, will speak on "The Meaning of Christmas, Then and Now."

Church Opened.

The Young People will have charge of the services at the Morningside Presbyterian church at midnight tonight. The Rev. John B. Dickson is pastor.

The East Point Christian church will have services for personal devotional from 5 until 12 o'clock today. The organ will play familiar Christmas carols and the songs will be heard over the public address system. The Peachtree Christian church will also be opened for worship this afternoon.

At 11 o'clock tomorrow morning there will be a service at the Druid Hills Baptist church. Music will include "Christmas Pastorale," Manney; "Sing, O Heavens," Tours; "The Shepherd's Song," Guilmant, and "The Christ Child," Coombs. The service at 5 o'clock will be a sermon by Dr. Louis D. Newton, and at 7:30 o'clock there will be another musical service, including "Calm on the Listening Ear"; "Christmas Eve," Hageman; "Virgin's Lullaby," Regen; "Voices of the Sky," Matthews; and "Christmas Tide," a medley of Christmas carols, Bourdon. Mrs. John Felder is organist and choir director.

The special Christmas song service at the Glazier Memorial Primitive Baptist church will be held at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. Elder W. W. Riker, pastor, will preside.

Elder W. W. Riker, pastor,



Constitution Staff Photo—H. J. Slatton.

SANTA CLAUS ARRIVES—Christmas came for Governor and Mrs. Rivers yesterday when they were presented a spanking new sedan by employees of the state administration. From left to right are Marvin Griffin, the Governor's executive secretary, who made the presentation speech; Mrs. Rivers and the Governor.

State Workers Give Rivers Car for Yule

Teachers Get Pay; Many Prisoners Are Paroled.

An automobile, pardons and pay, and money for the teachers were distributed yesterday by a state administration well-inoculated with the Christmas spirit.

The car, a sedan, was given Governor and Mrs. Rivers by state officials and employees as a farewell, as well as a Christmas present; the Department of Education honored city and county and five city systems, and completed payments for four months on all requisitions received up to 10

o'clock in the morning. The checks brought the total since September to \$5,300,000; with approximately \$700,000 to be paid out by January 10.

The department also mailed \$311,028.81 in equalization funds last Saturday, according to State Superintendent of Schools Dr. M. D. Collins. Largest amount approved yesterday was \$79,693.75 for the city of Atlanta's school system. The Fulton county system received \$45,240.71.

Approximately 200 pardons and paroles are expected to be signed and delivered to wardens over the state by tomorrow. It was emphasized that the great majority of those who will be freed are short-timers with good behavior records whose sentences are nearly run.

The pardons are all conditional ones and are dependent upon the recipient's future good behavior.

TO CONFER DEGREE.

GAINESVILLE, Ga., Dec. 23.— Gainesville Lodge No. 219, F. & A. M., will confer the master's degree in full dramatic form Friday night at 7:30 o'clock. The newly elected officers will be in their stations, with Charles F. Benson as worshipful master.

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Ironic Effrontery

There is something of tragic humor in the statement by a Berlin spokesman concerning the attitude and actions of this country in regard to the war. Any appeal to international law by the German government, which has openly flouted and disregarded all law, humanitarian and international, whenever it suited its purpose, must make the devil laugh.

Even though the argument of Hitler's representative is taken seriously, however, there is no legal basis for complaint. Should the United States see fit to take over interned German and Italian ships in American ports, and release them to the British, there would be no violation of international law.

Secretary of State Cordell Hull made a full exposition of law on this point when he ruled it was perfectly legal for the Mexican government to seize the oil properties owned by citizens of the United States, in Mexico, provided the properties were paid for at a justly appraised value. That is a parallel case.

There is another precedent, however, closer in parallel detail. In the early days of the first World War, before Italy had become a combatant on the side of the Allies, the Italian government seized all German ships in Italian ports and arranged to pay for them on the installment plan. No question as to the legality of that action was raised at that time.

The Berlin statement about the interned ships is merely one more of a series of increasingly blunt intimations that the Nazi government regards this country as one of its leading foes. Which, of course, is a correct assumption. This country is, to all intents, at war with Nazi Germany and, though there are some in America who do not understand that condition, there is evidently no doubt about it in Berlin. Adolf Hitler, in his recent speech before the workers of a German factory, made it plain and, if anything was needed to make it plainer, the "warning" to America voiced in Berlin on Saturday, did that very thing.

The United States government will, of course, ignore the Berlin fulminations. They can have no effect on the course this country will follow in the future. This country has never in its history, nor will it, determine its international policies in accord with threats from any source, least of all from a nation which has assumed for itself the role of international gunman and extortionist.

In regard to the German and Italian ships it might be well to investigate as to the status of their accounts with the port authorities where they are lying idle. Port dues, per diem, have to be charged for such vessels and it is quite possible many of them are in hopeless arrears.

That Germany is worried because of the decisive role American aid may have in the outcome of the war is proved by the growing bluntness of her threats against this country.

It is to be hoped the United States gives her cause for greater worry by taking over these ships, by enforced purchase if necessary, and promptly turning them over to the British for service on the Atlantic lifeline of supply.

Paul Donehoo

Atlanta lost one of the finest of her sons in the death early Sunday morning of Paul Donehoo. His greatness was measured not in riches or position in life, but in the full measure of human good, humility and dogged bravery.

His loss will be keenly felt in thousands of homes, for to know him was in itself a privilege. Seldom has there been a more incisive brain dedicated to do good wherever good could be done and to root out evil whenever it could be found.

Blind himself, almost from birth, his chief interest was in those who were sightless and required a helping hand through a world in which only the highest degree of courage could compensate for that loss. He gave unstintingly of his time for this and for other causes in which he could aid his fellow man, yet he found time also for a keen and delightful interest

in the world of intellectual fencing and in the arenas of sport. Chess was his favorite pastime and in that game he excelled, being able to match his kingdom against that of any man in fair combat.

One of his greatest pleasures was baseball, and almost by sound alone he was able to follow the game more closely than other devotees. Probably none but the blind will know the delight he knew at the sharp crack of bat against ball or the thud of horsehide against leather and in the myriad background noises melting into the whole that is baseball.

His genius was never more apparent than when he was presiding at a coroner's inquest, for it seemed that a sixth or even a seventh sense enabled him to see more deeply in a tangled skein of events than those who could see only with their eyes. Often a single subtle, and occasionally a sharp, question would cut through an obscurity which deliberately had been woven into a murder case. Often many a confused and innocent person found in him a friend indeed, and many a guilty person found in him a titan of justice.

Paul Donehoo has been a part of the intangible quality that goes into the making of a great city. He was a rare genius born of adversity overcome. Many are those who have known the good of the world rather than the evil because of him. There is no more that could be said for any man.

The New Ambassador

The selection of Lord Halifax as British ambassador to the United States may well prove to be one of the wisest acts of the Churchill government. The appointment is, in any event, a recognition of the extreme importance of the post, by reason of the fact it indicates the British government understands, correctly, that it is a more vital post even than that of a cabinet member.

Lord Halifax was known, during the Chamberlain era, as one of the group of appeasers which included the former prime minister, Sir Samuel Hoare, Sir John Simon and others. However, since the start of the war and the coming of Winston Churchill to power, he has performed magnificent service for his country and, undoubtedly, has realized that appeasement was a tragic error and that such as Hitler can only be spoken to by force.

There must be thousands of Britishers who have undergone similar change of heart, thousands among the most loyal subjects today, the most determined to see the war through, whatever the outcome.

Reports from Washington are that officials of the United States government are well pleased by the choice of a successor to Lord Lothian. There is also much significance attached to the probable naming of Sir Gerald Campbell, former British consul at New York, as minister to Washington, to relieve Lord Halifax of some of the work which is now so great for the representative of Britain in this country. Campbell is popular in the United States and an exceedingly competent official. He is now British high commissioner to Canada

The little group of appeasement-minded Americans, the Kennedys, Hoovers and Lindberghs, will find little comfort for their cause in the new ambassador or the new minister. We may expect a continuance of that perfect co-operation with President Roosevelt, Defense Chief Knudsen and Secretary of State Hull that was the outstanding characteristic of the Lothian ambassadorship.

Lord Halifax, in his new post, has opportunity to serve his country such as has fallen to few men in history. That he will meet that opportunity goes without saying.

An eastern anti-noise group bans applause at its banquet. Nothing is to mar the solemn stillness except the creak in the toastmaster's anecdote.

Fairy story: "The better team won," said the communique writer in last night's report of a battle lost by his side.

Editorial Symposium

NAVIGABLE STREAMS

"The new supreme court navigated some very shallow water to reach its conclusion in the New river case," says the CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR of Boston, referring to the six-to-two decision in which the supreme court, according to the WASHINGTON STAR, "vests in the federal government virtually unlimited control over the waterways of the nation." The BUFFALO NEWS believes "States' rights received a heavy blow in the decision . . . in the case of the Appalachian Electric Power Company, a federal commission which establishes the right of the Federal Power Commission to license electrical developments on non-navigable streams."

"It took 15 years to get it, but the supreme court decision in the New river power case went the right way," declares the PHILADELPHIA RECORD, which reports, "It has long been the contention of this newspaper that future security of private power companies lay in effective regulation, and that efforts to escape regulation serve only to create public demand for public power. In that light, this supreme court decision is clearly of long-range benefit to the private power net-works."

Meanwhile, "the rights of states . . . have gone by the boards, and federal control is imposed over virtually every trickle of water in the whole expanse of the United States," says the PITTSBURGH POST-GAZETTE. And the BOSTON HERALD asserts, "The evidence now is that so-called states' rights will be curtailed more and more, not merely because of the make-up of the supreme court but because, in many instances, more authority is necessary for the proper conduct of government than states can exercise individually or in some small groups." While the WILMINGTON NEWS sees "another long step has been taken to enhance the powers of the central government at the expense of the states. The problem of when to stop the process, if it can be stopped, has been made still more acute."

THE CAPITAL PARADE

By JOSEPH ALSOP AND ROBERT KINTNER.

LABOR IN DEFENSE WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Shortly after the first White House conference on reorganization of the defense setup, one of William S. Knudsen's associates asked the burly, quiet-spoken defense production chief whether the President was following his recommendations. Knudsen's reply was a simple, unqualified "yes."

The question of labor's role in the defense picture had been left unsettled, however, at the initial meeting at which the top men of the War and Navy Departments obtained the President's consent to immediate action. A plan for a three-man supreme defense council, composed of Knudsen, Secretary of War Henry Stimson and Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox, had been tentatively adopted. But it had been left open whether a labor representative would be made coequal with Knudsen and the two secretaries, or whether labor would be subordinated in the defense organization to the council of three.

HILLMAN ADDED At another meeting at the White House on Friday, the first alternative was adopted. Defense Commissioner Sidney Hillman was added to the council of three, and the quartet was given final authority over the defense program under a forgotten provision of the first reorganization act. The question now is whether the final arrangement will be as satisfactory as the one first proposed. The most convincing (and encouraging) answer is to be found in the background of this vitally important event.

Among the individuals who volunteered or were asked to submit memoranda on improvements in the defense setup for the President to study on his vacation cruise, Secretaries Stimson and Knox and their henchmen, Undersecretaries of War and Navy Robert Patterson and James Forrestal, deserve particularly high marks. If the defense authority was to be consolidated, as has now at long last been done, it had to be consolidated at the expense of the War and Navy Departments. For the basic defect in the old seven-man defense commission setup was not that it lacked a chairman or did business by a system of general debate, but that the primary authority and responsibility for defense production were still lodged in the Army and Navy procurement branches.

Although the wisdom of letting officers trained to fight try to manage a vast industrial expansion has already been all too amply proven in England and France, most officeholders in the positions of Messrs. Stimson and Knox would have had a go at keeping the big job in their own departments. Secretary Stimson, indeed, is reported to have been briefly inclined to do so. But after consideration of the problem, both the secretaries and both undersecretaries concluded some time ago that granting pre-eminence to Knudsen was the only wise way out. Thus their advice to the President tallied very closely with the suggestions made by Knudsen himself in a memorandum the President asked him to compose shortly after the election.

OBJECTIVES OF SECRETARIES "Making Knudsen the boss" was the objective of Stimson and Knox, Patterson and Forrestal when the President returned from his cruise. He was still undecided what to do. Before he left, he had canvassed the field for other possible candidates, and had found none. Nevertheless, he was resolved to take action of some sort.

When the four War and Navy Department officials asked for an appointment with him to discuss the defense problem, he granted it readily.

At the meeting, the President gave every sign of putting effervescent defense production above all other considerations. He was willing to give Knudsen sole power, if necessary. This Stimson, Knox and their two aides would have preferred. But the President still balked to keep the appearance of managing the defense effort through regular governmental channels." It was necessary to find some effective way of bringing Army and Navy procurement under Knudsen's authority, a step to which there were legal obstacles. For these and other reasons it was agreed to associate Stimson and Knox with Knudsen in the three-man council. The two secretaries accepted the arrangement with the understanding that all direction, decision and initiative would be left to Knudsen, while they assisted him, either in person or through Patterson and Forrestal, in any way that seemed useful. After the first meeting, the step taken was authoritatively summed up in the statement, "Knudsen's going to be the boss. It's up to him now."

DOUBLY IMPORTANT The unsettled question of labor representation was important for two reasons. First, the labor movement has consistently demanded a voice equal with industry's in the defense effort, and a flat refusal seemed likely to cause widespread discontent. Second, a powerful faction in the administration, nervously fearful lest "the businessmen move in on the government," had been energetically supporting labor's demands. No doubt leading members of this New Deal group had something to say to the President in the interval between the first and second White House meeting. At any rate, at the second meeting Knudsen was made director, but Hillman was also named associate director, of the four-man council.

Some of the more nervous businessmen in the Defense Commission are disturbed by Hillman's elevation, but Knudsen has not much less reason for satisfaction with the four-man council than with the three. It was vitally necessary, in any case, to have an effective labor division of the defense organization, which Hillman can now proceed to build. And if Hillman attempts to use his position to interfere with production problems out the labor field, or to press labor's desires at the expense of vital production, then he will find himself confronted with a solid front of his three colleagues. So long as Stimson and Knox remain determined that Knudsen must be boss, he will be.

SILHOUETTES

By RALPH T. JONES.

Let's Not

Forget E.M.

There is one classification of folks that must not be forgotten at this Christmastime. It isn't likely they have been overlooked but, just in case, and despite the lateness of the date, here is a reminder.

The shut-ins. Those who, because of physical infirmity, must spend the long days confined to some bedroom, at home, in hospital or institution and who must, perchance, view the world only through the windows of their room, through the friends who visit them and through the limitless windows of the heart, the imagination and the soul.

This suggestion, reminder or what you will, doesn't come from the column. It is merely the medium through which it is passed.

I hope all friends who have helped before will do so again this year, and that new friends will offer to assist in making the long hours of confinement more cheerful during the Christmas season and also will not forget them during the year, as they have a hard road to travel."

Can anyone resist making practical answer to such an appeal?

"There Is

A Santa Claus."

Somebody asked why this column did not devote itself, for one day, to explaining the real truth that there is a Santa Claus, that little children might know, once and for all.

Well, it was done so much better, many years ago, by that New York editorial writer who wrote "Yes, Virginia, There Is a Santa Claus."

Look up that editorial and read it again. It has been republished so many times there must be copies available. Try the Carnegie Library.

But of course we all know, if we have sense enough to understand that there is a Santa Claus.

We know that one individual could not possibly get around to all the homes where there are children, on one night. So, Santa Claus has to be represented by carefully chosen agents. And where could he find better agents, to distribute his gifts to children, than the parents of the children themselves?

So, in most homes, it is the parents who obey old Santa's orders each year and send that the gifts he wants the kiddies to have are properly packed and placed on Christmas Eve.

There are, undoubtedly, a few homes in the world where Santa looks after things himself. If any youngster has evidence that the old fellow paid a personal call, this year, this column would be glad to hear of it. But it seems reasonable to suppose that his agents do a good job for him in most instances. They'd better. Or, perhaps, they'll lose the agency.

before another Christmas comes around.

Twenty-Five Years Ago Today.

From the news columns of Friday, December 24, 1915:

"Harry Chapman, the Crackers' great catcher of the 1913 champions, will be back again in 1916 to help Charley Frank win the first pennant for the Crackers."

And Fifty Years Ago.

From the news columns of Wednesday, December 24, 1890:

"The library will be closed this afternoon at 5 o'clock and all day Christmas."

FAIR ENOUGH

By WESTBROOK PEGLER.

All That NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—It is pretty silly to argue the proposition that the British people do or don't love the Americans or vice versa, and I would be willing to concede that they hate our very tripes, and that this feeling is mutual to get at the only question that matters in our present problem, which is whether they are fighting our enemy. Often on a ball club there are men who detest one another and don't speak in the clubhouse, on the trains or in the hotels and speak no more than they have to when they are on the field. But they co-operate

Dudley Glass

Christmas Fireworks, Noise, Annoyance And Grave Danger

Out in our sister city of Hapeville the small boys' Christmas is officially over. It expired Saturday at midnight.

Hapeville had a law against fireworks. But it was repealed, for some reason, a few weeks ago. Lovers of peace and quiet and folk in dread of fires set off a few bombs themselves, right under the noses of the councilmen—and the ordinance was restored. They repealed the repeal.

But a compromise was reached. Dealers had a lot of fireworks on hand. And naturally desired to sell them. So a compromise was reached by which they could be bought and sold and exploded up through Saturday. After that, no crackers, no torpedoes, no roman candles, no rockets. It may be that in Hapeville the Christmas anthems will not be punctuated by explosions.

I have overlooked the item, but I have not observed this year the annual warning from Atlanta's chief of police that fireworks will not be tolerated and offenders will be hurled into the bastille. It used to come around as regularly as the new calendar from your insurance agent—which reminds me that mine must have been lost in the mail.

Not that the annual gesture stopped the fireworks. The general old Chief Beavers considered his duty well done when he promulgated his dictum or dictated his promulgation, as you prefer. Nor have I heard of any congestion of jail cells through activity of his successors.

There is an ordinance, I believe, against the sale of fireworks in Atlanta. Which means, of course, within the official city limits. But 20 feet beyond those boundaries, at all points of the compass, the stalls are set up. And do a thriving business. Who can hold the seller responsible if some dyed-in-the-wool young criminal transports a crimson 90-h.p. bomb to the midtown region and ex-

ploses it, accidentally, under a sedan?

They're Dangerous.

I'd hate to be considered an old grouch with a sluggish liver and a cantankerous disposition. I think I am fairly liberal in my attitude toward youth—unless some child prodigy—or her parents—insist on said prodigy's reciting a piece, with gestures. Or playing the piano.

But I do believe fireworks should be abolished, except when handled by experts in big displays.

One reason is because I jump whenever a bomb explodes in my neighborhood. The other is because many of the modern fireworks can be frightfully dangerous.

In early youth a firecracker could explode in your hand without much damage except blackened fingers. We hadn't heard of tetanus—or lockjaw, as we called it. If it occurred we didn't couple it with fireworks.

But I have seen several varieties of fireworks within recent years which I wouldn't dare set off except from behind steel armor.

Even they wouldn't be so bad—in the right place. But for a number of Christmas seasons it has been the playful habit of a few youngsters to light a fuse and toss a cracker into the open window of a passing automobile.

Good joke! Holiday spirit! But I know of one child who almost lost her sight because one of those things burst within an inch or two of her face.

The south, from all I read, is the only section which shoots fireworks on Christmas. It's a Fourth of July amusement elsewhere. Down here it's a relic of plantation days when Christmas was the only holiday of the Negroes and they celebrated with firecrackers and a "dram."

But I won't go into a discussion of whether fireworks are appropriate to an observance of the birthday of Christ. I can't afford to. Because, if you make a point of that, you can hardly say that overstuffing yourself on food or overdrinking yourself on eggnog or highballs is exactly a religious rite. And I confess I enjoy both. Except the eggnog. It invariably disagrees with me. It must be the nutmeg.

City Vandals.

Complaints have been coming in—to authorities and to newspapers—that city folks drive out and cut Christmas trees and holly and anything they like off private property.

The owners have a legitimate kick. Many of them own land and do not live on it and can't protect it with shotguns.

There is no "wild land" in many miles of Atlanta. There may still be some in the mountain fastnesses, but I doubt it.

Every acre in Georgia belongs to somebody—who owns it and pays taxes on it. There's no "public property" left.

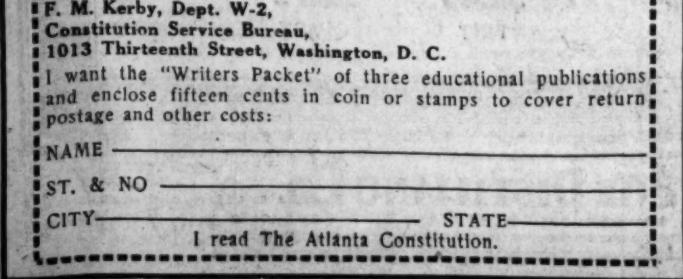
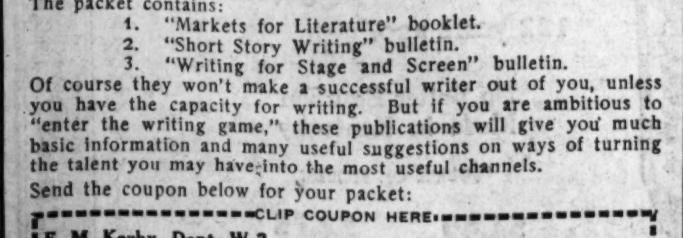
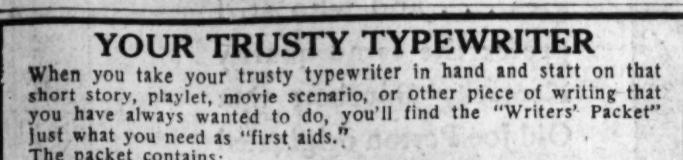
City folk—some city folk—imagine that when they get 14 miles beyond the city limits they're in a wilderness. That they can camp out, cut trees, dig up shrubs and run wild.

How would they feel it a country dweller camped overnight on their front lawn, left the cans and empty bottles and departed with their pet nandinas and flowering quince? But it's just the same.

Friend of ours who owns a country place promised us a couple of years ago all the Christmas merriment we could use. We went out to get it. But, unfortunately, the holly was—or had been—close to the highway. There wasn't a berry left. So our friends drove into town and bought enough to decorate their home.

Plan To Extend Limits of City To Be Offered

Inclusion of East Lake Club, Buckhead Will Be Sought.



SEC Denies Plea Of Cities Service

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—(P)—

The Securities Commission denied today an application by Cities Service Company—which has voting power in 110 corporations with more than \$1,150,000,000 of assets—for exemption from the Public Utility Holding Company Act. The order was made effective January 16.

The company had asked exemption on the ground that it was only incidentally interested and did not derive a material part of its income from utility interests, since its main business concerned petroleum and petroleum products.

The commission rejected both contentions with a statement that "It would be detrimental to the public interest and the interest of investors and consumers to grant the present application."

Latin-American Chain Is Organized by CBS

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—(P)—

Formation of a Latin-American network as a unit of the Columbia Broadcasting System was announced today by its president, William S. Paley, who said the effect would be to extend the chain to 18 of the 20 Latin-American boulevard, N. E.

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Christ, the King, is come to earth.

Around about Him where he lay
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All the friendly animals stood.
He, their friend, is kind and good.

Wise men coming from afar,
Guided by the silver star,
Almost blinded by the light,
Shepherds followed through the night.

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Good Morning

By Dr. Louie D. Newton.

Christmas Eve comes again with its theme of giving—gifts born from hearts of love—gifts made beautiful with hallowed memories, the fragrance of which linger as a blessed benediction. Throughout the day and far into the night such gifts will be borne by hand, by messenger, by the couriers upon strands of steel, speeding cars, winged planes.

And amid it all our hearts will be filled with reverent remembrance of the best gift—the Son of God. "God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth on Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." That is the best gift—the beautiful gift. That is Christmas.

And when all is done and said, the greatest gift any Christian can make is to tell others of Him, the Savior of the world. It is the best gift.

*Faith in the young lad come to manhood:
Jesus, compassionate, tender and true—
Oh, my children—what more glorious
Gift in the world can I give you?*

*Carry it high like a lamp in the darkness,
Hold it for warmth when the day is cold—
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*What can a mother give her children
More than a faith that will not dim?
Take it, my dear ones—hold it forever;*

A lamp for a lifetime—faith in Him.

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Youthful Poet Wants To Be A G-Woman

Atlanta Schoolgirl Writes Christmas Verse, But Likes Guns.

A G-woman with pigtails who writes poetry sounds like a character from Dick Tracy. But she isn't. She actually lives here in Atlanta in the person of Eva Mac Whetstone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Whetstone, 1333 Lanier boulevard, N. E.

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Boykin Fights Clemency Pleas For Floggers

Calls for Support as He Circulates Counter-petitions.

Solicitor General John A. Boykin has initiated a move to thwart efforts of convicted Fulton county floggers to gain freedom by parole or pardon.

Boykin said yesterday he was circulating counter-petitions to those being circulated in behalf of the floggers.

He said, "I expect to resist their clemency pleas to the utmost of my power."

"Petitions seeking clemency for these men have been circulated for some time and have the signatures of a large number of citizens, but I, in taking counter-action, look for the support of those who believe that law and order are paramount," he said.

"The victims of those night terrorists were deprived of their very constitutional right. The men that mercilessly lashed them acted as prosecutor, judge, jury and executioner."

"Those who are approached with a plea for clemency should remember that the law is their only protection. Signing of such petitions only discourages the enforcement of the law and makes the task more difficult," he said.

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Fulton, DeKalb To Send 1,764 Draftees in '41

1,078 Already Classified as Being Immediately Available.

Fulton and DeKalb counties will furnish approximately 1,764 draftees during 1941, according to tentative quotas released yesterday at state selective service headquarters.

To meet this call local draft boards in the two counties already have placed 555 white registrants and 523 Negroes in Classification I-A—that group which includes men immediately available for service and from which the trainees will be drawn.

Quotas Tentative.

Officials pointed out that the quotas were tentative and subject to change when "home address cards" are returned to headquarters by men already in the services. These cards will show the home addresses of soldiers and sailors and will be the basis for determining accurate credits for residents in arms.

By local boards the figures are:

Board	Quota	White I-A	Non-I-A	Classified	Classified	To Date</
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Jim Jurkovich, 'Soph of Year,' May Play Against Tech Saturday

Country's Best Milers To Run In Sugar Bowl

Event To Decide Cunningham Successor Set Sunday.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 23.—(P) America's best "active" milers will bat around the track in the Sugar Bowl meet here next Sunday, starting a campaign to decide who will fill the vacant thrones of "King" Glenn Cunningham and "Crown Prince" Archie San Romani.

The entry list looks a little barren without either of these names, although Lorenzo Di Benedetto, national A. A. U. president and Sugar Bowl track chairman, declared he had rounded up "the best milers running in America today."

Cunningham set the local record two years ago at four minutes, seven seconds. It was the fastest mile run in America during the 1939 season. Last year, which Cunningham declared was his last, the great one did not win a major race.

San Romani won the "metric mile" here last year, but had comparatively little luck during the rest of the season as Chuck Ferree, former Wisconsin runner, dominated the distance.

"Cunningham is teaching at Cornell College in Iowa and although I think he has some fine races left in him it's doubtful if he'll compete any more," Di Benedetto said. "San Romani, I understand, has gone in for music. He's a fine trumpeter and might be leading a big name band before you know it."

"But we have Fenske, Walter Mehl and John Munski in the mile. The only other active miler to compare with them is Leslie Macmillan, of New York University, and he's running in the half-mile here instead."

Mehl, who won the two-mile here last year, took the 1,500-meter run in the national A. A. U. meet in 3:47.9, a tenth of a second off Jack Lovelock's world record. Munski is national inter-collegiate champion, and a real comer. Both are just a year out of college, Mehl from Wisconsin and Munski from Missouri.

"This meet starts the 1941 campaign. The boys go from here to the big eastern indoor meets. And Fenske, Mehl, Munski and Macmillan—all young men—will be fighting it out for the recognition as successor to Cunningham as the country's best miler."

Tulane Dismisses Gridiron Prospects

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 23.—(P) Coach Red Dawson, of Tulane, said today "several of the best prospects" from the freshman football team had been dismissed because of scholastic failures, and that "about four of the freshman squad of 27 have passed all their work."

"Eleven of the 27 have left already and I imagine by the end of the year some others will be leaving," Dawson told the Monday Quarterbacks' Club.

Tulane authorities have announced that three members of varsity squad and 12 freshmen had been dismissed because of scholastic difficulties. None of the varsity players belonged to the first or second team. Names were not made public.

Purples' Reward Will Be Steaks

Boys' High's reward for beating Miami and clinching a strong claim to the southeastern prep championship will be thick steaks.

Coaches Shorty Doyal and Dwight Keith admitted yesterday that they "had to pay off" their promise made before the Purples went into the Hurricane. The steak dinner will be given at 7 o'clock Thursday night at Lakemoore.

Members of the Purple squad and their dates, along with a handful of friends, will be on the receiving end of the serving tables.

All in The Game

BY JACK TROY

Not So Bad

Walter Frederick, California's director of publicity, brought out an interesting point yesterday. Walter and charming Mrs. Frederick are here in advance of the Golden Bears, Tech's opponent this Saturday at Grant Field.

"We have four natural rivals in California—four teams we can beat and call any season successful. Well, we beat three of them and came close on the other."

The four natural California rivals are U. C. L. A., St. Mary's, Southern California and Stanford. Cal. beat the first three and had a lot of tough luck in losing to Rose Bowl-bound Stanford.

The Stanford game wound up in a photofinish, so to speak.

Pictures proved that Carlton Hoberg, right half, scored after intercepting a pass and running 54 yards. He rolled on top of two Stanford tacklers and actually placed the ball over the goal line, according to the pictures.

Cautious officials, however, would not allow a touchdown. Instead, the ball was placed at the one-yard line. Cal. failed to make it in four downs. The ball went over on the one-foot line.

This all happened in the third quarter with Stanford leading 13 to 0. California scored in the fourth quarter and kicked extra point. The touchdown the Golden Bears were denied meant either a tie or win.

And it would have meant a clean sweep of the rivals of the state of California.

But it is no bad feat defeating three of the four.

Hoberg, who was denied the touchdown, probably will start at right half for California. Jim Jurkovich, nominated by Francis Wallace as the sophomore of the year, suffered a brain concussion in the Stanford game, and it is not at all certain he will play. He is the regular right half.

Memorable Visit I'll never forget Walter Frederick. He introduced our Tech party to the Yamato hotel—California and Grant streets—in San Francisco's vast Chinatown, largest in the world.

It was at the Yamato that we removed our shoes and sat on raised mat-covered floors before low tables to partake of Sukiaki, the main Japanese dish.

Before eating Sukiaki one drinks a hot wine called Socki, and it does not belie its name. And then the dainty Japanese geisha girls bring out the ingredients for Sukiaki, light burners on the low tables and prepare the food before you.

By the time the savory odors have permeated the screened rooms for a few minutes, one is capable of eating a whole quarter of beef raw:

Anyway, Walter Frederick said the old Yamato was doing well and that the Sukiaki was just as enticing to us. Which sort of made us homesick for San Francisco. Or at least for the Yamato hotel.

We have no Yamato, but we do have the Wisteria, and so we'll endeavor to impress Walter Frederick during his stay in Atlanta.

Such Is Fate Bob Atkins returned from the wild fastness of the Altamaha swamp with a tremendous trophy of the hunt—the majestic head of an 11-point buck.

Bob Atkins shot the buck on my stand. I missed it because I had left 15 minutes earlier.

Here's what happened. Bob was on a stand below mine. He could see for a long distance along the sand spit between the Altamaha and Black swamps.

Well, when I walked off the stand and headed back to Jesup, he kept watching my stand on the ridge. And he saw the buck walk past less than 20 minutes after my departure.

Meanwhile, John Martin and I couldn't get a ride in on Jesus and so Daniel Tyre went up to hold Atkins' stand while he drove us to town.

Nothing happened until Atkins returned to the swamp. He apparently was operating on a hunch. Anyway, he took over my old stand. He figured the buck might come back that way.

The buck did—in less than an hour and a half.

And Bob Atkins shot him. My buck. That is, it should have been. I walked away and left him.

John Martin called early yesterday to break the news, saying he wanted me to have plenty of time to bemoan such

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Neyland Finds Vols Are Rusty After Layoff

Blocking Terrible, Timing Bad, He Says; Much Work Planned.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 23.—(UP)—Major Bob Neyland, head coach, found little to please him when the Tennessee football team today resumed practice for the Sugar Bowl game in New Orleans.

"The blocking was terrible and the timing bad," Neyland moaned. "I didn't realize how quickly they could get out of condition. It's going to take two practices a day from now on to get them back in shape for that Sugar Bowl game New Year's Day."

The Tennessee squad had two practice sessions today—calisthenics and short sprints in the morning and a scrimmage against a Boston College type defense in the afternoon.

Boston College Coach Goes to Bed With Cold.

BAY ST. LOUIS, Miss., Dec. 23.—(UP)—Coach Frank Leahy, of the Boston College Eagles, went to bed with a cold today while his assistants put the squad through a long workout for the New Year's Day Sugar Bowl game with Tennessee.

The assistant coaches took the third team into the St. Stanislaus gymnasium in the morning and drilled it in execution of Tennessee plays.

These plays were shot at the varsity during a two and a half-hour drill in the afternoon outdoors. In spite of a cold drizzle and a wet field, the athletes worked with enthusiasm.

The squad will practice shortly after lunch tomorrow so the players and coaches, including Leahy, can go to New Orleans for the annual Christmas Eve party staged by Joe Davis, Sugar Bowl director.

Maroon Regulars Stop Hoyas' Plays.

STARKVILLE, Miss., Dec. 23.—(UP)—Mississippi State's 39-man football squad, returning to practice for the Orange Bowl game after a five-day vacation, today worked on a defense against Georgetown's passing and running plays.

Mississippi State's first-string team stopped the Georgetown attack as executed by reserves dead. Wilbur Wees, a 168-pound blocking back, and Center Ben Griffin, stood out on the defense against passes. They intercepted five passes and knocked down six others.

Jim, after some hard years out on the coast, is doing a lot better.

He has caught on as a lecturer and is trodding the boards almost nightly, telling the youngsters of a new generation how he skinned the world at the Stockholm Olympics in 1912 and other assorted recollections from his amazing athletic career.

PLAYED 23 YEARS.

The peerless Thorpe has ballooned about the middle, but his arms and legs still are hard and his thick hair still jet black. He entered Carlisle in 1904 and played football for 23 years. He never was hurt in college, but professionals "bruised me up a bit now and then," he admits.

Jim likes to drop in on Eddie Brannick, secretary of the New York Giants, who was his pal when the great Indian was trying unsuccessfully to hit curve balls for the late John McGraw. According to Brannick, Thorpe was so strong in those days he was an actual menace. He liked to wrestle, especially in Pullman, and after he had tossed two of the Giants' leading stars, including 250-pound Jeff Tresser, over a couple of seats, he was ordered by McGraw never to touch another player on pain of instant dismissal.

Thorpe enjoyed hearing Ed tell stories, including the time Jim and Rabbit Maranville spent an entire night in adjoining trees, pretending they were bobcats. But Jim didn't get really warmed up until it was suggested, mildly, that present-day football with its deception and fine blocking must be quite an eye-opener for a man who played in the old "bone-crunching" days.

60-MINUTE PLAYERS.

"Whadda ya haven?" he demanded. "They haven't got a thing we didn't have, and we had something they haven't got now—60-minute ball players. These kids now train to play about six minutes at a time. We were lucky to have one good substitute.

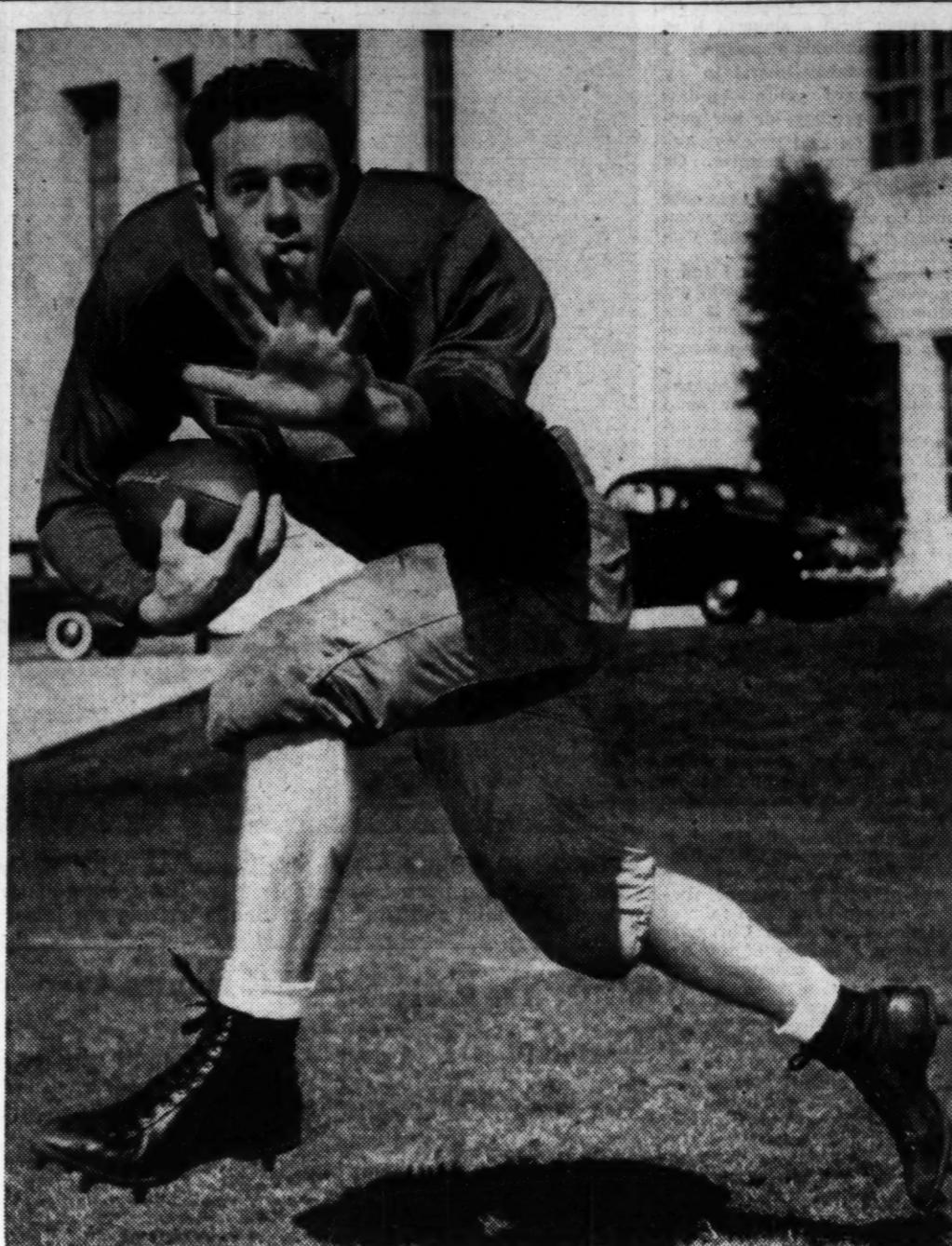
"When I was at Carlisle we used spinners, laterals, hurdles and silent signals. We used this new-fangled 'T' formation and the double wingback, both. The crowd didn't know where the ball was half the time until the tackle was made. Ask any guy who tried to play against us.

"And don't think there's anything new about this blocking.

They gave me plenty of it. Only difference is that they block a little higher nowadays.

TOO MUCH WHISTLE.

"Maybe they play a little cleaner now, but it makes me tired to go to a game and hear nothing but the referee's whistle all afternoon. I loved it when the referee stood back and let us go. I always knew there were three or four guys on the other side told



ALMOST RAN TO GLORY—Carlton Hoberg, sub right half of California's Golden Bears, intercepted a pass and ran 54 yards against Stanford. Pictures proved he scored, but officials said he fell a yard short. His touchdown would have tied, might have won the game with Rose Bowl-bound Indians. (See All in The Game.)

Wolfpack 11 Will Play Eight Southern Teams

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 23.—(P)

The 1941 North Carolina State Wolfpack will play eight Southern Conference football foes next fall on a 10-game schedule, it was announced yesterday.

The schedule, except for a game pending for the night of October 25 in Raleigh, follows:

September 29—Richmond at night; 27—Davidson at Winstonboro at night; October 4, Clemson at Charlotte; 11—Furman at Greenville, S. C. at night; 18—Greenville, Rutherford at night; November 1—North Carolina at Chapel Hill; 8—Virginia Tech at Winston-Salem; 15—Georgetown at Washington; 22—Duke at Raleigh.

Special Gear Will Protect Injured Head

After Light Drill, Jackets Cancel Work Till After Xmas.

By JOHNNY BRADLEY.

Tech's clash with California's Golden Bears Saturday at Grant Field could be called "the battle of punting linemen"—but we are not going to call it that.

No, sir. Not us. But you know, that's a pretty good handle. You see Tech Captain Hawk Cavette plays guard and does a lot of kicking. And California's Bob Reinhard is an All-American tackle and he, also, does the punting for his team.

In fact, Reinhard has averaged 39.2 yards a kick this season against some pretty powerful opposition. Cavette's average is not far behind. So it could well be a battle of punting linemen.

But we are not even going to bring it up.

JURKOVICH READY.

Word comes from Wally Frederick, the Bears' publicity director who hit town yesterday, that Jim Jurkovich, the sensational sophomore halfback, may be able to play against the Jackets.

Jurkovich, selected as the sophomore of the year by Francis Wallace, suffered a head injury in one of his team's games this season. A special headgear has been rigged up and he may be able to see service against the Techs.

If he is able to play, Atlanta fans will see one of the greatest backs of the year. He weighs 185 pounds, can pass and punt and runs the 100-yard dash in 9.8 seconds.

Jurkovich is along on the trip and while the team physician says it's doubtful he can play, Coach Allison still has hopes.

JACKETS RESTING.

While the Bears are rolling merrily on to Dixieland, the Yellow Jackets yesterday began a two-day Christmas holiday before taking up practice duties again Thursday.

Coach Bill Alexander sent his charges through a light workout yesterday morning and then called it off until after Christmas.

Most of the players went home for the holidays but those who live too far away will be given a Christmas party tonight at the Capital City Club.

Coach Alex finished all his rough work last week and there will be nothing heavy on schedule.

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Mild, Dry Yule Is Forecast for Most of Nation

Fair Weather Indicated for Practically All Southern States.

By The Associated Press.
Santa Claus will travel light and dry over most of the nation except the Pacific coast Christmas Day.

Weather Bureau forecasters advised the jolly old fellow yesterday that it would be so mild tomorrow over the whole country that he wouldn't need his heavies.

They also said he would encounter very little, if any, precipitation anywhere east of the Rocky mountains. There may be some rain or snow in the Lake Superior region, particularly Minnesota.

Santa will have a dripping time of it, though, in the far west, where considerable shower activity is likely.

Forecaster A. J. Knarr, of Chicago, said weather maps showed that the possibility of rain tomorrow in various parts of the middle west and Ohio valley and rain or snow in the plains states had receded.

Low barometric pressure disturbances off the Pacific coast were moving northward, but were not progressing inland as rapidly as had been expected, he said. Another disturbance which gave Florida moderate to heavy rains moved eastward, instead of directly northward into the interior.

Virtually the entire southern half of the nation will have fair weather for Santa Claus' journey, said Knarr, with considerable cloudiness in northern states.

If movement of the high and low pressure areas should produce precipitation now unlooked for, Knarr said it would "surely" be rain and not snow except for the Minnesota possibility.

"It seems we just can't do anything about giving the youngsters a white Christmas," he said, "except in the northern tier of states where snow already is on the ground."

Occasional Light Rain Is Forecast for Today

Light rains expected today should give way to sunshine Christmas Day, the United States Weather Bureau forecast last night.

Today will be cloudy, the bureau said, with occasional light showers due. Lowest temperature is expected to be 38 degrees. Tomorrow's temperatures are expected to be moderate.

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NURSES IN PAGEANT—Nursing students from five Atlanta hospitals braved a brisk December wind last night to present a Christmas Carol program at St. Joseph's Infirmary. A feature of the evening was a "living cross" of choristers, composed of nearly 200 nurses. Here are some of the participants.

J.F. McCrackin, U. S. Aide, Dies During Hearing

Referee in Bankruptcy Is Stricken in Valdosta Office.

VALDOSTA, Ga., Dec. 23.—(P) Stricken while conducting a bankruptcy hearing in his law office, J. F. McCrackin, veteran attorney and large-scale tobacco grower, died unexpectedly here today.

He had been a referee in bankruptcy 28 years, and had practiced law in Valdosta since 1907. He was a native of Rabun county, and had attended North Georgia College, Dennison University in Ohoopee, Mercer University and Yale.

In 1922 he served several months as a member of European trade commission appointed by President Wilson.

He was an organizer and later president of the Flu-Cured Tobacco Association, served as chairman of the board of Emory Junior College here, and at one time was a member of the board of trustees of Georgia State Woman's College.

Survivors include his wife, a brother and one sister.

AROUND Atlanta

WITH THE CONSTITUTION STAFF

D. R. Bruce has been re-elected president of Atlanta Lodge No. 522, Brotherhood of Railroad and Steamship Clerks. Other 1941 officers are Mrs. Ruth King, secretary-treasurer; T. N. Kinnebrew, chaplain; Floyd Hobson, sergeant-at-arms, and W. F. Lamb, inner guard.

Bank clearings yesterday totaled \$17,800,000, the Atlanta Clearing House Association reported. The same day a year ago was a holiday.

Ex-slaves and aged Atlanta Negroes will receive Christmas presents from the Ex-Slave Association at 11 o'clock this morning at the Holmes Institute chapel. Speakers will include the Rev. J. T. Wilkerson and Dr. W. F. Paschal.

at the CITY HALL

Mayor Harmsfield yesterday officially declared a half-holiday at the city hall for today, Christmas Eve, but it appeared there will be little real work done this morning because of the excitement over the anticipated visit of Santa Claus tonight. Under Harmsfield's order all departments in the city hall will close at noon.

Lloyd A. Walker, city purchasing agent, yesterday was compiling data on operation of the city's purchasing division for Albert B. Lobenstein, junior purchasing agent of the city and county of Honolulu, Hawaii. Lobenstein asked for the information in order that he can set up a model division.

Mayor-Elect Roy LeCraw, L. Glenn Dewberry, superintendent of the city hall building, and Joe L. Richardson, city clerk, yesterday were in conference over details of the inauguration program to be held on the night of January 6. While in the city hall LeCraw visited several departments. The program probably will be completed this morning.

GASTON A. ALCIATORE. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 23.—(P) Gaston A. Alciatore, 68, last surviving son of Antoine Alciatore, founder of world-famous Antoine's restaurant here, died yesterday. A nephew, Roy Alciatore, now conducts the restaurant.

Weather

Information and Forecasts Supplied by U. S. Weather Bureau.

Weather bureau reports of atmospheric conditions at 6:30 o'clock last night with high and low temperatures for the preceding 24 hours and rainfall for the preceding 24 hours.

Atlanta, Georgia, Dec. 23, 1940.

Lowest temperature.....46

Normal temperature.....52

Pressure at sea level.....30.22

Total precipitation this month, in.....2.02

Deficiency since 1st of month, in.....1.50

Total precipitation this year, in.....2.32

Excess deficiency since January 1, in.....Precipitation

Atlanta, Georgia, Dec. 23, 1940.

High Low

Temperature.....46 38

Humidity.....80 78

Wind.....0.0 0.0

Rainfall.....0.00 0.00

Cloudiness.....80 80

Visibility.....10 10

British Prepare For Christmas In Prison Camp

Air Marshal To Live in Luxury in Italian Villa.

By ELEANOR PACKARD.

WAR PRISONERS' CAMP IN THE ABRUZZI MOUNTAINS, Dec. 23.—(UP)—British war prisoners were busy today preparing to celebrate as merry a Christmas as possible in this camp situated in the snow-covered mountains of central Italy. They appear to be comfortable enough—especially the officers—and have no complaint against the Italians.

A choir has been formed to sing Christmas carols. An amateur theatrical performance along English music hall lines has been arranged by a prisoner who was a vaudeville performer in civil life. The prisoners are looking forward to a Christmas feast, including plum pudding, which has been promised them by the United States embassy, in charge of British interests in Italy. Best of all, a few packages from home already have been delivered to the prisoners and more are expected before Christmas.

Officer Lives in Luxury.

Meanwhile, repairs are being rushed on the Villa Orsini, owned by the Marquess Orsini, into which Italy's most distinguished prisoner of war—British Air Marshal O. T. Boyd—will move during the holidays. He is the highest British officer to be captured, or killed, in this war, and the Italians are doing the handsome thing by him.

British soldier prisoners who will act as servants will live on the top floor. The Italian guard will occupy the ground floor and the air marshal, with a few other top-ranking British officers who will be permitted to live with him in the same house, will occupy the quarters between.

While a prisoner, Boyd and all other British officers, in keeping with the Geneva war prisoners' convention of 1929, receive from the Italian government the minimum pay of an Italian officer of equal rank. From this they supply their own mess, where their food is cooked by British prisoners. They may buy wine, beer, sweets and tobacco, but no hard liquor. When their uniforms wear out new ones are tailored at the

expense of the Italian government.

The enlisted men, housed in several dozen barrack-like buildings, said they had plenty of food and blankets. The French are kept separate from the British and both British and French officers are separate from enlisted men.

One prisoner, Aviation Corporal A. B. Smith, wanted me to tell his American fiancee, Miss Helen Rengel, of Brodten, Minn., that he was a prisoner and safe and to write him at Campo di Concentramento, Sulmona, Province of Aquila, Italy.

Mail for home for both officers and men is sent at the expense of the Italian government through Switzerland. Officers are allowed to buy United States and Swiss newspapers as well as Italian papers. All mail is, of course, censored.

RAF Bombers Rip Principal Libyan Fields

British Strive To Block Italian or Nazi Reinforcements.

CAIRO, Dec. 23.—(UP)—Determined to thwart any landings of Italian or Nazi troops reinforcements abroad German transports planes, British bombers were reported officially tonight to have delivered shattering attacks on Italy's two main "reinforcement airports" in Libya.

Great fires and explosions ripped the Libyan airfields of Berka and Benina near Marshal Rodolfo Graziani's main headquarters at Benghazi on the Mediterranean Gulf of Sidra during "heavy attacks" Saturday night, an RAF communiqué said.

Meanwhile, British artillery and mechanized forces laid fierce siege to Italy's Libyan coastal base of Bardia, another communiqué said, and the number of Italian prisoners is rapidly soaring.

Nearly 40,000 Prisoners.

The total number of prisoners counted has now reached 35,949, including 1,704 officers of all ranks, and "several thousand more are still awaiting return from forward camps," it was stated.

More and more British empire forces are being moved up to the arc of encirclement around Graziani's "beaten" forces in Bardia for a direct assault on the base, where 20,000 to 25,000 men are holding out against constant assaults by land, sea and air, it was said.

In connection with the newest RAF assaults on the airfields around Benghazi, it had been reported in British quarters that Adolf Hitler might feel compelled to send a fleet of Junkers transport planes to ferry Italian or perhaps Nazi troops to the Libyan battlefield.

Bardia Is Major Task.

Another strong attack was carried out by British planes against the Italian coastal base of Tobruk, causing "considerable damage," today's RAF communiqué said.

It was emphasized that a major task faces the British forces around Bardia, because the base is protected by "formidable defenses," which cannot be compared with the temporary ones, which the British encountered around Sidi Barrani.

F. D. R. Sends Sympathy To Family of Kallio

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—(UP)—President Roosevelt sent condolences to President Rely, of Finland, today on the death of former President Kallio, of that country.

"I am deeply distressed to learn of the death of former President Kallio whose long and distinguished career was so well known and appreciated in the United States," Mr. Roosevelt said. "We will always remember his steadfast and constructive leadership during the trying days which your country has undergone. Will you be good enough to convey to Madame Kallio and to the members of his family my most sincere sympathy."

Man Will Receive Mule For Christmas Present

Special to THE CONSTITUTION.

MARIETTA, Ga., Dec. 23.—The Fred Myers' home on Atlanta road will perhaps be the scene of one of the strangest Christmas Day ceremonies ever created.

Ella, prize saddle-mule of the Guy Northcutt family, will be given to Myers by the Northcutts, and in style at that. Presentation ceremonies will include Christmas ribbons and other trimmings and will take place early Christmas morning. Ella has lived on the Northcutt farm for 30 years.



TINY TRAVELERS—Looking forward to their first American Christmas were these two youngsters, Nicholas Okounieff, 7 (left), of Marseilles, and Mercedes Brown, 3, also of France, who were among the 25 child refugees who landed in Jersey City yesterday in time to celebrate Christmas at the home of their American sponsors.

Admiral Leahy Sails for Post On Tuscaloosa

'Going To Represent Government,' Says Envoy to Vichy.

(Picture on Page 1.) NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 23.—(P)—Rear Admiral William D. Leahy, new United States ambassador to France, sailed with Mrs. Leahy today aboard the cruiser Tuscaloosa for Lisbon, Portugal, en route to Vichy.

Questioned about his mission to France, Admiral Leahy said "I simply am going to France to represent the government of the United States, and that's all there is to it."

There was a Marine Corps guard of honor for the ambassador as he walked up the gangplank and stepped on the deck of the trim gray cruiser, and there was more formality when Rear Admiral Joseph K. Taussig, Norfolk naval district commandant, went aboard, but for the most part the departure was an informal affair.

"Hope you have a fine round turkey dinner for Christmas," a friend called.

Mrs. Leahy, standing with her husband and a lone naval officer on the cruiser's forward superstructure, smiled and said, "We hope so, too."

Aim To Keep Peace in U.S., White Declares

Editor Expresses Opposition to Repeal of Johnson Act.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—(P)—William Allen White, Kansas newspaper editor and chairman of the Committee to Defend America by Aiding the Allies, said in a statement copyrighted by the Scripps-Howard Newspaper Alliance today that his only reason for being a member of the group was "to keep this country out of war."

"Any organization that is for war is certainly playing Hitler's game," he said, in response to an inquiry by Roy W. Howard, editor of the New York World-Telegram.

White expressed opposition to repeal of the Johnson act, which bars loans to debt-defaulting nations, and said it was "not true even remotely that we favor repealing of that portion of the neutrality law which forbids American ships to carry contraband into the war zones."

"That would be leading us to war," he said, "and our organization and I personally are deeply opposed to it."

He also asserted that any proposal to send convoys with British ships "or our own ships" was a "silly thing" for convoys, unless you shoot, are confetti and it's not time to shoot, now or ever."

Barbara Hutton's Yacht To Become Naval Unit

BOSTON, Dec. 23.—(P)—The palatial yacht Noparo of the former Barbara Hutton, five and ten-cent store heiress, arrived at a Boston shipyard today to be refitted as a naval auxiliary.

Windsor To Make Christmas Broadcast

NASSAU, Bahamas, Dec. 23.—(P)—The Duke of Windsor will make a Christmas Day broadcast to the Bahamian people, speaking from the Nassau radio station at 6:30 p. m.

Yuletide activities of the Duke and Duchess started today when they attended a luncheon given by Marion Cartairs for 3,000 poor persons.

They were present tonight at a dance given for the aid of the American-British war relief fund. The Governor and his lady will have a Christmas tree at Government House tomorrow for Bahamian children.

Italian Press 'Probably' Will Print Speech

Only Few Thousand in Italy Heard Churchill, Fascists Say.

ROME, Dec. 23.—(UP)—Only a few thousand of Italy's 50,000,000 people heard British Prime Minister Churchill's radio appeal for the overthrow of Benito Mussolini; it was stated tonight, but Fascist quarters said it probably will be published in newspapers "along with proper comment."

Churchill's appeal came as the Fascist press was assuring the people that Italy will obtain ultimate victory and that "England deceives herself" if she believes she can beat Italy to her knees by the Libyan offensive.

According to Fascist quarters "a maximum of a few thousand Italians" heard Churchill's broadcast, mostly journalists and Fascist party leaders.

Those Fascist leaders who heard Churchill said, however, that his speech probably would be published in the Italian newspapers for all to read along with editorial comment intended to brand "this type of British propaganda."

It also was suggested that the publication of Churchill's speech would be in line with Mussolini's recently announced policy of "publishing fearlessly" all things interesting to the Italian people, as, for instance, Sunday night's report of Marshal Rodolfo Graziani on the reasons for the Italian retreat from Egypt.

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Motor Vehicle Taxes Show Increase in 1940

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—(P)—The American Petroleum Industries Committee estimated yesterday that motor vehicle taxes accruing to federal, state and local governments increased by \$140,000,000 in 1940 to an all-time high of approximately \$1,850,000,000.

Federal and state gasoline taxes, the committee said in a year-end statement, were estimated at \$1,116,000,000; registration fees, \$450,000,000; sales and excise taxes \$200,000,000, and local levies the balance.

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the side of the ferocious pagan barbarians.

"There lies the tragedy of Italian history and there stands the criminal who has wrought the deed of folly and of shame."

It was pointed out authoritatively, in this connection, that Churchill attacked Mussolini alone at an hour when the German Luftwaffe was increasing its threat to Britain. Nazi submarine crews were intensifying their campaign, and an invasion was possible.

Some circles borrowed an American phrase and said the speech was an "or else" warning uttered in confidence that Britain would be able to implement it to the full.

Churchill couched his three-fold appeal in these terms: "One man and one man alone ordered Italian soldiers to ravage their neighbor's vineyard. The time has come when the Italian monarchy and people who guard the sacred center of Christendom should have a word to say upon these awe-inspiring issues."

"Surely the Italian army, who has fought so bravely on many occasions in the past, but now evidently has no heart for the job should take some care of the life and future of Italy."

other's ruin; your aviators have tried to cast their bombs upon London; our armies are tearing and will tear your African empire to shreds and tatters."

Recalling that Italy and Britain had never been foes until now and were Allies in the last war against Germany, Churchill said that "although the institutions you adopted after that war were not akin to ours and diverged... we liked each other, we got along together."

"And now we are at war; now we are condemned to work each other."

The British Broadcasting Corporation planned to send Churchill's appeal around the world in a dozen languages before midnight.

The Italians, first to hear the broadcast in the regular BBC propaganda program, didn't know it was coming.

The BBC was reported to have held off advertising the broadcast for fear Italian officials would attempt to jam it.

A BBC spokesman said the Italian translation would go out five times before noon tomorrow. He said that British broadcasts were considered to have a big audience in Italy and that after the first broadcast at 7:30 p. m. today word would get around and by the time of the fifth transmission Churchill's message would have reached a large portion of the Italian people.

The prime minister's direct broadcast to the English-speaking world went out at 9 p. m. (3 o'clock) this afternoon, Atlanta time.

Following broadcasts were arranged in Italian, German,

Serbian, Bulgarian, French, Polish, Czech, Rumanian, Danish, Hungarian, Norwegian and Greek.

Content With Neutrality.

Churchill told his radio audience the defense put forward for Mussolini's plunge was "of course, the quarrel about sanctions and Abyssinia," through which "old friendships were forgotten."

"I declare—and my words will go far—that nothing that happened in that Abyssinian quarrel can account for or justify the deadly strife which now has broken out between us."

Britain was "content with Italian neutrality," Churchill said, adding that in the first eight months of war "we paid great deference to Italian interests."

"It was not due to weakness."

He hastened to say.

France, he said, "for the moment is stunned" but "will rise again."

"The British nation and commonwealth of nations across the globe and, indeed, I may say, the English-speaking world are now aroused," he declared.

Victory Predestined.

"They are on the march or on the move and all the forces of modern progress and of ancient culture are ranged behind them."

"Why have you placed yourselves, who were our friends and might have been our brothers, in the path of this avalanche now only just started from its base to roll forward on its predestined target?"

He read a message he said was sent to Mussolini May 16, to "prove that I, Churchill, have done my best to prevent this war between Italy and the British Empire." Then he read what he called "Il Duce's 'dusty answer.'

"Anyone can see who it was that wanted peace and who it was that meant to have war," he declared. "One man and one man only was resolved to plunge Italy after all these years of strain and effort into the whirlpool of war."

600 Youths Clothed

By 'Santa Claus' Group

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, Dec. 23.—(P)—Every needy grade and junior high school student in Wichita Falls learned today there really is a Santa Claus.

Six hundred of them received brand-new togs from head to foot from a group of Wichita Falls businessmen.

British Bomb Mannheim, Hit Nazi Shipping

Germans Renew Attack on England After Day of Quiet.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—(P)—The seventh heavy raid this month on Mannheim, strategic German Rhine river port and railway junction, was reported today by a man in the air ministry, which said RAF bombs had forced Germany to divert France-bound railway traffic to a less satisfactory line and had severely impeded river traffic.

The air ministry said it has learned from sources other than pilots that "great damage" has been done at Mannheim.

The repeated attacks on Mannheim were believed by many observers to be part of a scheme to sever the rail communication between the Saar valley of Germany and Italy, as well as obstruct traffic to and from France.

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The ministry's news service said British bombers in "one crowded hour" poured thousands of incendiary bombs and some "very heavy" explosive missiles on Mannheim and its industrial neighbor, Ludwigshafen. The raid was one of the night's RAF attacks upon the Rhineland, airfields in German-occupied territory, and the invasion ports of Flushing, Dunkirk and Calais.

An indication that the far-ranging British bombers were on the wing again tonight came from Basel, Switzerland, where air-raid alarms were sounded. Swiss alarms usually indicate British raids on Italy or southern Germany.

At home



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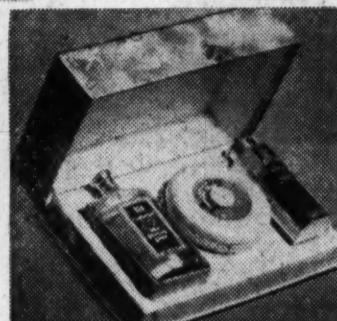
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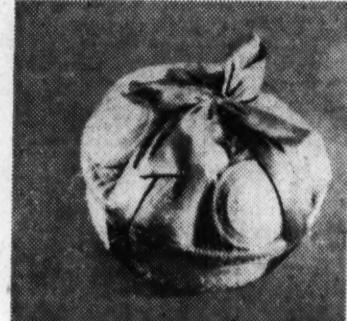
Blue Grass Flower Mist by Elizabeth Arden . . . the cologne that cannot be surpassed! For Christmas in a dainty pink and blue 4-oz. package!

Toiletries Shop,
Street Floor

Men's Yardley Set

2.85

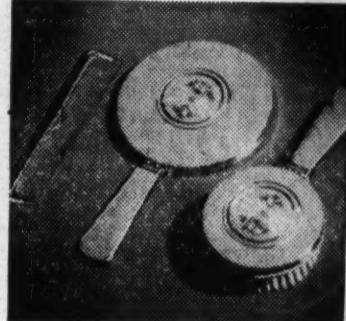
Men prefer them! All the requisites for a luxurious shave and a grand feeling afterward! Give him one of these for a perfect Christmas!

Toiletries Shop,
Street Floor

Apple Blossom Basket

59c

A gift basket filled with Apple Blossom soap, bath salts and perfume! You'll want several of these for gift extras . . . they'll be appreciated.

Toiletries Shop,
Street Floor

3-Piece Toilet Set

3.98

Comb, brush, mirror in lovely pastel colors with simulated cloisonne plaques! She'll love the design and most of all, enjoy using it!

Toiletries Shop,
Street Floor

Her Initialed Compact

1.00

A gift that shows you've chosen it carefully for her alone! Big, roomy, loose-powder case in black and gold with one magnificent scroll initial.

Jewelry Shop,
Street Floor

Colorful Boxed Books

1/2 Price

They can have fun coloring and cutting as well as reading with these! Books in boxes with crayons and scissors for long hours of fun!

Book Shop,
Street Floor BalconyMon-e-Saver
HOSE
69c 79c

In Christmas boxes of 3 each! 3 pairs for 1.95. 3-thread, 3 lengths and 4-thread! 69c.

79c or 3 for 2.25 in 2, 3, 4-threads short, regular and extra lengths. \$1 to 11!

Mon-e-Saver
Bar,
Street FloorRadcliffe
Sissy
Slip
a dream at
1.59

Feminine as fluttering eyelashes . . . smooth-fitting as second-skin! Tearose rayon satin. Sizes 32 to 36.

Lingerie
Shop,
Street FloorV-R-TEX
Van
Raalte's
to match
Each
1.00

Shaped-top pink rayon knit vest, 34's to 42. Scallop-hem step-in panties, 6's to 7's. Slendare snug-fitting panties, 5's to 7's. Give her a whole set!

Lingerie
Shop,
Street FloorShetland-
Blend
Cardigan
Reg. 2.98

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Our famous ribbon-bound classic that warms the heart of every woman or lass that finds it Christmas morning! Blue, maize, rose, or white . . . sizes 32 to 28.

Sports Shop,
Third Floor

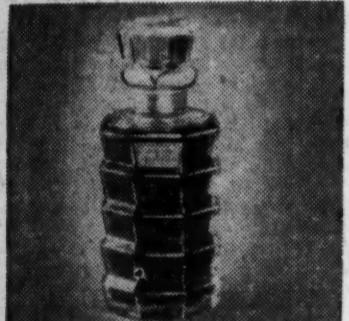
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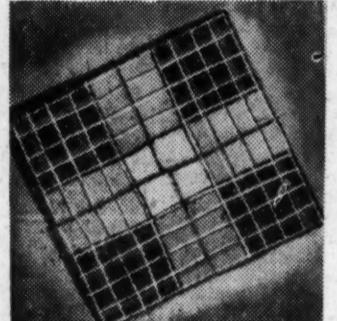
All-wool swing skirts for high school, college, town-and-country lasses . . . or any woman on your list. Plaids or plain, 24 to 30.

Sports Shop,
Third FloorGirls'
Lacy
Pajama
2.98

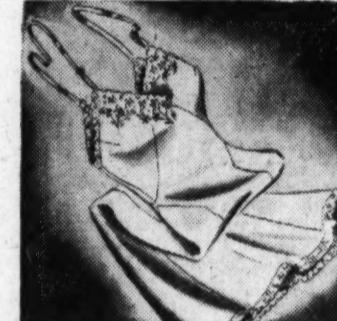
We're in love with the Butcher Boy . . . this lace-trimmed Rayon Satin Pajama in prints or solids. And lovely pastels! 8 to 16.

Young
Atlanta
Shop
Second FloorSinful Soul Perfume
1.00

This comes in a crystal bottle she'll want to keep on her dressing table long after the perfume is gone! Sinful Soul ever-popular scent!

Toiletries Shop
Street FloorMen's Handkerchiefs
15c

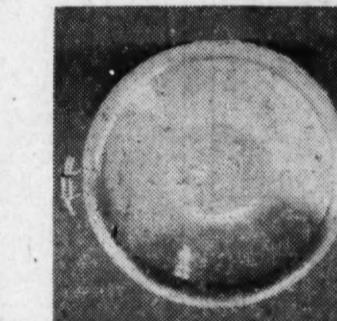
Colored bordered handkerchiefs for the men on your last-minute list! Always a welcome gift and come in a host of colors and borders!

Handkerchief Bar,
Street FloorMiss Swank Lacy Slip
2.98

Bemberg rayon and silk satin. Embroidered and edged with Val lace on petal pink or white. 34's to 44's, 31's to 37's.

Lingerie Shop,
Third FloorGive 'Fuzzy-Wuzzies'
1.98

She'll love 'em the winter through! D'Orsay or Scuffie of real electrified lambkin that won't mat! Wine, royal, or white . . . 4's to 9's.

Christmas Slipper Bar,
Street FloorServing Tray
Hammered
Aluminum
2.98

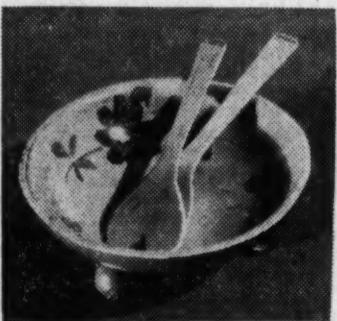
Big, impressive 18-in. tray with a lasting soft, silvery finish so easy to keep bright and shining. It's hand-hammered, with handles.

Houseware
Sixth FloorCombination
Radios and
Record Player
15.95

Think, a radio-phonograph for a price like this! Not only a clear-toned, well-performing radio, but a player that plays all size records.

Radios
Sixth FloorUniversal
6-Cup
5.95

She'll serve your morning coffee with pride, if her gift is this "Universal" electric percolator. Graceful design in gleaming chrome finish.

Houseware
Sixth Floor"Robin
Hood"
1.98

She'll love a set for her buffet meals. Gaily painted wooden bowl, floral decorated inside with wooden fork and spoon.

Houseware
Sixth FloorChild's Felt Slipper
1.00

Soft felt slipper with zipper, our most popular number! Red or blue. 5-8, 8-12. Also Socks by Sarfert in all colors. 25c pr.

Rich's Young Atlantan
Shop—Second FloorGirls' Leather Jackets
6.98

Pig-textured jackets in Fireman-Red or Forest Green . . . ideal matches for her jodhpurs. With a zipper fastening. Sizes 8 to 16.

Rich's Young Atlantan
Shop—Second Floor12 Tumblers
Gold-Banded,
ShamBottom
1.29

Sparkling, expensive looking glasses in sizes 14, 11 and 5½-ounce . . . for fruit juices, cocktails, hi-balls. Units of one dozen or one size.

Glassware
Fourth FloorGold-
Banded,
Holds 90 Ozs.
1.00

No household ever has too many pitchers. Tall, graceful shape in sparkling crystal with gold band decoration.

Glassware
Fourth Floor



A festive Christmas cake is prettily decorated with whole cranberries atop its creamy frosting.

MY DAY: Toy Is Selected For the President

By Eleanor Roosevelt.

NEW YORK CITY, Sunday.—If only for a very short while, it is grand to be in the country. I arrived in New York City on Friday afternoon, in ample time to attend the annual Christmas party which we give at the Women's Trade Union League clubhouse. It seemed particularly pleasant to have one of the "little boys" who started to give this party so many years ago, come back again to take over the work of running it this year.

Franklin Jr. and Johnny began to give these parties soon after we moved back to New York City from Washington in 1920, but when they went off to boarding school, I had to carry them on alone. Now Franklin Jr. and his wife are back in New York City and he took over this particular responsibility, so I am sure the children had a much better time in the evening.

One of my friends, with whom I always make it a point to have a reunion before Christmas, came to dinner and we spent a happy evening together. On Saturday morning I motored up to my cottage at Hyde Park. There I gathered up all the things which had been sent from Washington and drove around this morning and delivered them to all our friends up here.

A kind friend gave me a great many toys this year. He took much trouble in picking them out, that I have had difficulty in tearing myself away from them. I even found one among them which I am going to give to the President of the United States. I am sure that this year all the children who come to our various Christmas parties are going to have a particularly happy time and I am very grateful to this friend who took so much personal trouble, in addition to being so very generous.

Last night Mr. and Mrs. James Bourne, of Rhinebeck, N. Y., and a number of people associated with the social agencies of Dutchess county, joined some of the young people who met with me last summer on two occasions. We sat around my living room fire and discussed what they, through their meetings and various activities, have found to be the needs of the young people in our country.

I hope that some day, out of these meetings, the young people of Dutchess county will participate actively in various county activities. Programs are carried out for both young and old which are intended to improve the social life, as well as the economic conditions of our various towns and villages, and young people should participate in the planning of these programs. I came down to New York City this afternoon and will return to Washington early to-morrow morning.

POINTS FOR PARENTS

By Edyth Thomas Wallace.



Mother: "Deliver these groceries to the address I gave you and charge them to me. And please put a card on the basket saying they are from a friend but do not use my name."

Children should be taught to give in such a way that it makes neither the giver feel superior nor the receiver feel inferior.

Casual, Youthful Collarless Design

By Lillian Mae.

Casual and charming and versatile—that's the sort of day-long frock Lillian Mae has designed in Pattern 4635! It's very youthful, very simple, and adaptable to any purpose. Make it in a bright-hued washable fabric, and you've a becoming housedress or a sports dress. Or use a smart wool and there's your under-coat frock for shopping, office or classroom. The becoming collarless neckline is accented by a sunburst of tucking, and lends itself nicely to clips or necklace. Use big bright buttons down the bodice opening, perhaps matching them with a grosgrain ribbon sash. And let your sleeves be short or long and full. There are unusually flattering skirt lines in the slim paneling, front and back.

Pattern 4635 is available in misses' sizes 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20. Size 16 takes 3 7-8 yards 35-inch fabric. Price 15c.

Send 15 cents in coins for this Lillian Mae pattern. Do not send stamps. Write plainly size, name, address and style number.

Are you too tall? Too short? Too plump? Too slim? If you are irregularly proportioned in any way, let the Lillian Mae Perf Foundation Pattern 4114 take the guess-work out of dressmaking. This "basic figure" pattern is fitted and adjusted to your exact measurements in tissue; then cut out in muslin for a permanent record. Pin your dress patterns to it, make the necessary changes, and the finished frock will fit with perfection. Designed for sizes 14 to 20, 32 to 50. Size 16 requires 3 3-8 yards 36-inch fabric. Price 15c.

Send your order to Lillian Mae Pattern Dept., The Constitution, Atlanta, Ga.

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THESE WOMEN

By d'Alessio



"Hang up an old runny one so's they'll know what to give us!"

Correspondent, Sheridan Discuss Loves and Hates Of the Oomph Girl

By Sheilah Graham.

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 23.—Ann Sheridan hangs up a large branch of mistletoe over the door, where George Brent will enter later, climbs down the stepladder, and tells me to come in. I am lunching with Annie at her north Hollywood home to find out what's new with the oomph girl, personally and professionally. The professional part you know about already—she is still fighting her Warner bosses. So I will discuss the personal stuff, which is always a little more interesting to a gossip like me.

I really ought to call this column "The Loves and Hates of an Oomph Girl." Over the most delicious meat loaf (with onions) that I have ever tasted, Annie begins:

"These reports of marrying George Brent one day and 'cooling' the next are getting me dizzy. The latest thing I read is that we will be husband and wife before 1941. We keep telling each other, it's getting mighty close now!"

"We're both so hardened to this sort of thing that it doesn't interfere much with the enjoyment we find in each other's company. George has had at least four so-called romances this past year. And I've had six. But one of them—with George Raft, really did embarrass me. We were set together, and someone showed me a newspaper item that went something like this: 'Ann Sheridan has borrowed Norma Shearer's rhumba partner, George Raft.' The first lady isn't going to like that," I told George. (P. S. She didn't).

"And then there was the time I was supposed to be heart-broken over Richard Carlson. This is what happened: Walter Wanger's publicity man decided I should have a romance with Richard. We both said okay, but on the first day he told me he was secretly engaged to the girl he afterward married. It was understood between us that our romance was strictly phoney. You can imagine how annoyed I was at the stories later that I was crying my eyes out over him.

"There was Anatole Litvak—I was married to him practically every day—in the press. And Cesar Romero—that one lasted quite a while, only we could never quite bring ourselves to believe the stories of our engagement. Then I was supposed to marry Burgess Meredith. But I didn't. They had an awful time with me on the 'City for Conquest' picture. Everyone in it was married already, and their wives sort of objected to getting a divorce on my account. Fortunately George (Brent) was just around the corner. And that was the beginning of our beautiful friendship. So far we have not gotten to the point of discussing marriage—although everyone else has."

"I'm supposed to have married George on his boat off Mexico," Ann continues calmly. "In the first place, I didn't go with George to Mexico. I went to Catalina—one trip takes three hours, the other three days. Which is quite a difference when you're supposed to be alone with a man. When I came back, my hairdresser said, 'How's the bride?' 'But I'm not,' I told her. 'Oh, yes you are,' she said. I gave up. 'Okay, I'm the bride,' I said.

"Another time, when I was at the studio, someone in the publicity department told me, 'The press are asking about your marriage. What shall I tell them?' Mack Grey, who works for George Raft, was next to me and had been kidding me, so I said to him, 'Would you like to marry me?' He was scared to death! All afternoon I chased him around the set, asking him to marry me. I don't think Mack will ever kid me again."

The chief result of the publicizing of her friendship with this and that man is, Ann tells me, to put the scoundrels often insolently filling their guard against her.

Questions about foods, recipes and service will be answered by Sally Saver. Write or phone The Constitution, or WA 6565.

Today's Charm Tip

For Boys: Don't remain the spoiled child expecting to be humored by your dad. You're a man now, so meet that other man on a man-to-man basis in your manner and conversation.

A happy New Year indeed—if you've hilarious games and fortune stunts to keep your New Year's party humming!

"What will my fate be this coming year?" is the cry as the witching hour of midnight approaches and you line up guests for that gay fortune-telling stunt, "Magic Boxes."

In your boxes you've put simple objects such as a wedding ring, a penny, a thimble. But

what excitement as you blindfold each guest, whirl him around, then let him pick the trinket that tells his fate.

Everybody's thrilled when Sue draws the wedding ring, sealing an old romance with Tom—or when ambitious Bill draws the penny that foretells wealth, success. But unlucky the victim who gets the thimble—a year's hard work!

Then, to say a hilarious farewell to 1940, you might play this version of "My Diary." Divide players according to months and have the first player write at the top of a sheet of paper a "true confession" of the biggest moment he had during that month. (Only it needn't be true!) He then turns over his part, passes the sheet to the next player, who writes his confession.

What a history it makes when read aloud: Refused Franchot Tone, Kissed Miss —, and so on.

And always fun to mix in such jolly games as "Teapot." Choose a player to be "It" and while he leaves the room decide on a verb—"fly," for example. When "It" returns he tries to guess the verb by asking questions in this form: "Does everybody teapot?" Just beautifully silly!

Or put the gang in fine fettle with "Steal the Bacon," "Tom-Tom." You'll find these and many more grand games and stunts in our 40-page booklet, Games for Good Parties. Includes team games, ice-breakers, Mortaine stunts, brain teasers, fascinating tricks for all kinds of parties.

Send 15c in coins for our booklet, GAMES FOR GOOD PARTIES, to Home Institute, The Constitution, Atlanta, Ga. Write plainly your name, address, and the name of booklet.



ANN SHERIDAN.

Your Posture Makes, Mars Appearance Of Figure

By Ida Jean Kain.

Perhaps your silhouette worries are caused by careless posture more than anything else. Ordinarily, verbal reminders to "straighten up" are of little value, but there is a posture trick or two that will help you to look your loveliest over the holidays.

When you get all dressed up for some special occasion, and look yourself over in the mirror, the impulse will be to minimize that tummy by yanking it in. Don't do it! That would make you look like the Gibson Girl of the Gay 90's! Remember she carried her chest out and forward, instead of up. And she pointed her toes out instead of straight ahead, and that's why she walked like a duck.

Instead of trying to hold the tummy in, hold your head up. Forget about every posture rule but one, and that is up—with the curls on the top of your head. Hold your head proudly as you knew you looked very elegant.

All the rest of the figure hinges on the carriage of your head. With the head held beautifully—that is, squarely on your shoulders, with that line at the back of the neck straight, chin level—the shoulders will fall into lovely line, the abdominal wall will automatically be retracted and your back will be straight.

Try it in front of a full-length mirror, just to get the full effect. Stand in careless posture as if you didn't care much how you looked. Now make believe a fairy tapped you on the top of your head to transpose you into a beauty. Up! Smile like they always do in the before-and-after pictures and see how much nicer you look.

This little trick of lining up your figure correctly throws the support of your weight partly on your bones and takes the strain off the muscles.

To get the feel of the right line in the middle of your figure, try this. Lie down on back on floor, knees flexed, soles of feet flat on floor. Now, pulling up and in with the lower abdominal muscles and dig the small of back into the floor. Hold and release. That pulls you slim through the middle, lifts the chest and "rests" your back. Repeat half a dozen times, and end with a good stretch, arms overhead stretching up, legs straight down—s-t-r-e-t-c-h!

Then stand against the edge of a door, facing it, with only the chest and toes touching door. Pull back just a tiny bit with the muscles at the back of the neck. Now walk away from the door in easy posture and go over to the mirror. Don't try too hard, or hold your shoulders rigid—easy does it. You are not conscious of holding the tummy and chest up, but they are up and hips are under, shoulders relaxed.

Don't forget that a lovely carriage can make a good figure superb and a mediocre figure quite attractive. You can never look dumpy or humdrum if your posture shows it.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

You can improve your figure with the leaflet "Stretch the Fat from Waistline, Ribs, Wishbone." Send a large stamped return envelope with your request to Ida Jean Kain, The Constitution, Atlanta, Ga.

THE WOMAN'S QUIZ

Q. Please tell me how to remove rust from a frying pan.

R. Rub with lard until the rust is softened and then wash off with soap and water. If the rust is stubborn, steel wool may be used after softening.

Q. How can an oilskin be re-coated?

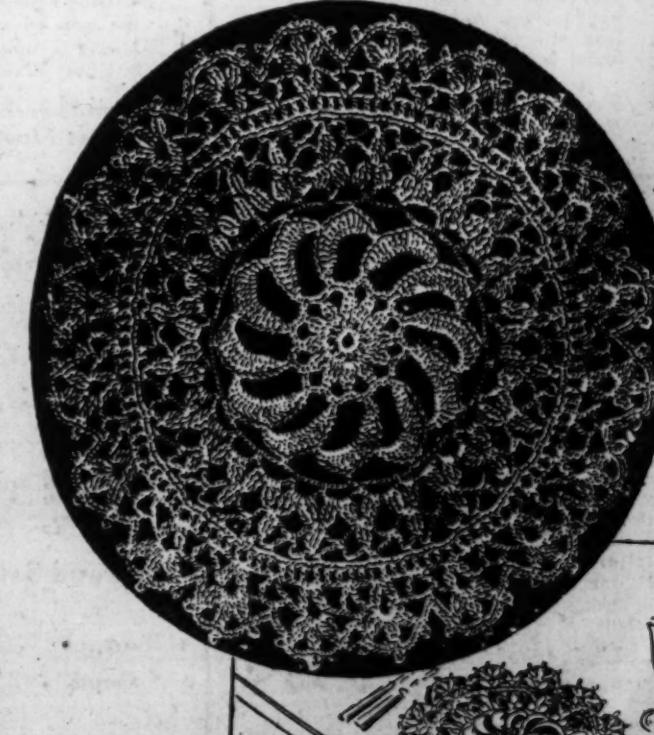
A. Paint it with raw linseed oil to which a resin size of litharge is added in the proportion of 1 ounce to 1 pint of oil. Several coatings may be required, and each should be allowed to dry before the next is applied.

Q. Please give a recipe for candied orange peel.

A. Drop peel into salted water

and let stand 24 hours. Drain, cover with cold water, bring to boiling point and repeat until the water is no salt taste. Boil gently until the skin is tender, then cut into strips. Remove loose white skin, weigh the peel, and add equal weight of sugar, and 1 1/2 cups of water for each cup of sugar. Boil sugar and water together 10 minutes, add peel and simmer until syrup is almost absorbed. Turn syrup often while cooking; allow it to cool in the syrup and then reheat a little. Lift with a silver fork to a place covered with granulated sugar; roll peel in the sugar and spread on waxed paper to dry. In an airtight container it should keep two to three weeks.

Circular Doily for Bridge Luncheon



DESIGN NO. 872

This unusual, crocheted, circular doily was created especially to be used at bridge luncheons. Pattern No. 872 contains list of materials needed, illustration of stitches and complete instructions.

To order this pattern, send 10 cents in coin or stamps to Needlework Bureau, The Constitution, Atlanta, Ga.

Fortune-Telling Booth Adds Gaiety to Parties

Latin Colors Accent Milady's Hat

In these "brisk and giddy-paced days" the millinery genii have paused to become considerate. Never before has a collection been more stimulating in color and line and activity of the American woman. No longer do ripe Latin colors, luminous floral tones, and candidly native silhouettes belong south of the border. Swashbuckling hats and trig turbans will defend holiday snows or protect milady from resort hair-havoc with a polychrome-pastel range and motifs filched from the tropics. And in all this the designers have combined the originality of Disney with the practical strategy of a general.

In this connection, up the fashion ladder go the larger hats with hugging, supple crowns (borrowed from the Peruvian "chullo"). Just

to make assurance doubly sure a changeable bandeau may fasten the brim to your forehead, the scarf-ends often insolently filling about your shoulders.

Why do doctors disagree so much unless they do not want us to be well so that their practice will not be limited? We have had so much sickness in the twenty years of our family life, and most

it from respiratory infection, so I intend to keep on with the use of quinine as it seems to prevent such illness in our family. (Mrs. M. H.)

In the latest edition of "Call It Cri," I recommend, as the dose of quinine sulfate (in pill, capsule or tablet) for building or maintaining good immunity in time of cri epidemic (and, children, please ignore the author by calling it cri—pronounced kree—won't you?), two grains each night and morning for adults, one grain night and morning for children. The ration is best taken after breakfast and supper, and it should be continued for several weeks or until the epidemic is over.

In reference to the effect of quinine on red blood corpuscles U. S. Dispensatory, 22nd edition (1937), edited by Horatio C. Wood Jr., states that "the continued use leads to an increase in the number of both red and white cells in the blood." A classical textbook of Therapeutics, by Hobart Amory Hare, M. D., tenth edition (1904) gives the effect of quinine on the blood thus: "Medicinal amounts gradually increase very materially the number of red corpuscles in man." Finally, one of the favorite "tonics" which doctors have given convalescents and semi-invalids freely in the past and still prescribe, notwithstanding its bitter taste, is syrup of iron, quinine and another drug we need mention here.

The correspondent's friends may have misunderstood her doctor, or the doctor may have understood her to inquire about a nostrum which happens to contain a little quinine, but is mainly acetanilide (or p-nitroacetanilide, no matter which coaltar derivative). Of course frequent use of coaltar derivatives destroys red blood corpuscles.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

The New Cri Book.

You have rung the bell once more with the new edition of the booklet "Call It Cri." To our family the instruction and practical suggestions in this booklet have proved priceless. More power! (T. D. S.)

Answer—Thank you, sir. Copy of the booklet mailed on request if you inclose twenty-five cents and 1 cent-stamped envelope bearing your address. Deal with so-called "colds," sinus trouble, bronchial trouble, cough, catarrh, etc.

Undeveloped Breasts. Can any doctor give the hor-



Sally Forth SAYS

Novel and Original Ideas Feature Christmas Cards

• • • THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION played an important part in the planning of prominent Atlantans' Christmas cards. Emmie and Paul Rees chose for their greeting cards a photograph of themselves reading a recent issue of the South's Standard Newspaper, which carries in its eight-column streamer, "Emmie and Paul Send You Yuletide Greetings!" It was that issue of The Constitution which printed the picture of those twins, Jeanne and Joanne Doran, and Marjorie Doran, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Doran, posed against the background of the Gothic beauty of a stained-glass window.

The same picture of their daughters was used by Mr. and Mrs. Doran for their greeting card, which emphasized the religious significance of the Christmas in the message inscribed thereon.

Patriotic in its theme, and composition, is Logan Clarke's card, with the sender pictured as Santa Claus. Printed in green beneath a festive wreath is, "Ain't we happy we live in these United States?"

Mary and Frank Rowsey chose "B'r'r Rabbit," made famous by Joel Chandler Harris, to express their message, because the immortal author is Mary's grandfather. Br'er Rabbit sits on a rock with his head in his hands, reflecting deep study. The message reads: "We've studied and studied, but it do look like there ain't nothing better than just wishin' you a monstrous big Christmas, an' a New Year as lively as a cricket in de embers."

Adorable little Sarah Candler, attired in her night clothes, kneels in front of the fireplace and looks up the chimney for Santa Claus who will visit the baby daughter of Sarah and Bob Candler at her Montview drive home tonight.

Frances and Gordon Catts Jr. are seated on the davenport in their living room on Westminster drive, with their Christmas greeting lettered in gold on their red-bordered card.

Pretty and smiling little Cary Latimer, clad in a snow suit, stands beneath an ice-covered tree, on the card which expresses her message and that of her mother, Frances Weinman Latimer.

From far-away St. Louis comes the card sent by Adgate and Walker Hill, who photographed their beautiful living room and framed it in white and green.

Gladstone Williams, the well-known Washington correspondent for The Atlanta Constitution, issued his greetings upon a card featuring an alcove in his living room on Massachusetts avenue in the national capital.

Small round photographs of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith smile from their greeting cards. Gene's picture appears in the upper left-hand corner, while below is that of Mrs. Smith, the former Idabelle Roberts, holding their 11-month-old son, Eugene, who celebrates his first Christmas tomorrow. Completing the family group is a photograph of "Twinkle," Eugene's small Chihuahua dog.

Allen and Ida Akers Morris sent with their Christmas greetings a cordial invitation to their friends to call during the holidays at their new home on Golf View drive. Their Yuletide wishes, printed in red on a bright green folder, are in rhyme, the last stanza reading:

"When you're in our neighborhood
We'd be delighted if you could
Come by for a minute or two;
See the directions—they're for
you."

Inside the folder is a map of the eastern seaboard, with a big red arrow pointing to an X used to indicate their house which fronts on the Bobby Jones golf course.

Ann Eagan issued her greetings in a red and white booklet entitled "My Days." Her interests and activities are pictured in sketches illustrating the congo, tennis, games, archery, motorizing, books, travel, swimming, horseback riding, basketball, telephoning, and Christmas-giving. Lastly, Ann is pictured getting "forty winks."

Elaine and Asa Candler wish their friends a "Merry Christmas" dressed in ski suits and skiing on a snow-clad hill, with snow-covered pine trees forming the background.

Tops in originality is the festive card sent by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hastings, of Harrisburg, Pa., formerly of this city. The greeting is inclosed in a gaily-colored box, the outside cover of the card being adorned with a wearable lapel clip. The fragile ornament is made of crystal, and filled with a miniature bouquet of straw flowers. An inclosed explanation reveals that the tiny container can be filled with water to hold fresh blossoms! Incidentally, it is tip-proof!

Elizabeth Arden, who in private life is Mrs. Graham Lewis, used the reproduction of her portrait, mounted it on a frost-blue card and lettered her greeting in silver beneath the portrait. All the dolls belonging to Jane

Miss Anne Ragan Is Party Hostess

One hundred members of the college contingent assembled at the home of Miss Anne Ragan on West Andrews drive yesterday for the open house at which the attractive sub-deb was hostess from 4 to 6 o'clock.

The hostess' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ragan, assisted in receiving guests. Assisting in entertaining were Misses Matilda Martin, Frances Richardson, Haden Fleming, Ann Thornton, Margaret Boyd and Catherine Davis.

Red and green decorations beautified the home.

Mrs. Stribling Fete Washington Guests.

Miss Bette DuPre and her brother, David DuPre, of Washington, D. C., who are guests of Miss Bunny Stribling at her home on West Andrews drive, were honor guests at a delightful buffet supper party last evening. Mrs. J. W. Stribling was hostess at the informal affair honoring her daughter's guest.

A miniature Christmas tree adored the hall of the home, and in the living room the mantel was garlanded with cedar and silvered pine. A huge bowl of poinsettias added a colorful note to the decorations.

NEW STORE LOCATION
J. P. Stevens Engraving Co.
110 Peachtree Street, N. W.
At Peachtree Street Entrance
Piedmont Hotel

"Twas the Night Before Christmas"



Personals

Little Gail and Cary Minich are peering up the chimney to watch for dear old Santa Claus, who is already on his way to Atlanta, driving his sleigh and reindeers. He will visit these pretty little sis-

ters at their Vernon road residence, because they have been exceedingly good, and have minded every word their elders said to them during the past year. Gail and Cary are daughters of Dr. and

Mrs. William R. Minich and granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Minich on their paternal side. Dr. and Mrs. James Edgar Paullin are their maternal grandparents.

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Cadet P. H. Beach arrived Friday from Georgia Military College to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lowder.

Mrs. W. M. Ross, of Jacksonville Beach, Fla., is spending the Yule season with Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Lowder.

Mrs. C. H. Tyree, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. C. W. Oakes, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Arthur B. Wiles, in Baltimore, Md., and Mrs. R. J. Conover, in Washington, D. C. Before returning she will go to New York city for a brief stay.

Miss Mary Lou Moody, who is a sophomore pre-medical student at Denison University, Granville, Ohio, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Green, who are spending the winter months in Miami, Fla. They will motor down the east coast to Miami and return by west coast, stopping at various cities to visit friends before returning home.

Miss Carolyn Mathis, of Washington, D. C., arrives today to visit her mother, Mrs. Eva Mathis, of Peachtree Hills avenue.

Mrs. Paul B. Willis is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. Raymond Pearson, in Jacksonville, Fla., where Mrs. Gilbert Beers at their home on Brighton road.

Mrs. Hollis is the former Miss Dorothy Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed L. Mitchell, of Atlanta.

Mrs. and Mrs. Charles K. Bautz, of Arlington, Va., and their infant daughter, Laura Patricia, arrived yesterday to spend two weeks in Atlanta. They will visit Mrs. Bautz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stauverman, on the Prado; and Mr. Bautz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Bautz, of Cumberland road.

A. C. Both, of Middleton, N. Y., is spending the holidays with Atlanta friends.

Mrs. Leila Kelpin is in St. Petersburg, Fla., while recuperating from a recent illness.

Mrs. Louise T. Moore continues ill at her home, 890 Arlington place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, of Tampa, Fla., are spending the holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Q. Russell are spending the holidays in Washington, D. C.

Miss Jean Edwards, who is a student at Shorter College in Rome, has arrived to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Edwards, on Avery drive.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Peter J. Negri announce the birth of a son on December 20 at the Naval hospital, Paris Island, S. C., who has been named Peter Rea. The baby

Open House Held For Miss Blalock

An interesting affair of yesterday was the open house at which Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Blalock entertained at their home on Argonne drive honoring their daughter, Miss Martha Blalock. The lovely honor guest, who is a student at Mount Vernon Seminary in Washington, D. C., is spending the holidays with her parents.

Among friends of the honor guest who assisted in entertaining were Misses Betty Hammond, Marion Pappaghini, Marian Knowles and Mary Carter. Mrs. E. L. Pugh, aunt of Miss Blalock, pourled tea and Mrs. G. E. Evans poured coffee.

The attractive centerpiece on the dining room table consisted of gaily wrapped Christmas boxes surrounded by garlands of silvered smilax. Silver candelabra holding gleaming red tapers were placed at either end of the table. Bowls containing arrangements of white gladioli, red poinsettias, and colorful berries and greens completed the decorations in the home.

is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Guido Negri, of Atlanta, and Mr. and Mrs. George F. Rea, of New York and Honolulu.

Ken Edwards, a junior at Emory University, will leave today to visit his classmate, Roy Walton, in Thomasville.

Cobb T. Edwards is at Crawford W. Long hospital, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bolling C. Stanley and children, Bolling Jr. and Betty Stanley, of Tallahassee, Fla., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stanley at their Lullwater road home during the Christmas holidays.

John C. Calhoun, of Rochester Minn., arrived Wednesday to spend the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. W. B. Calhoun on Eighth street, and his sisters Mrs. W. P. Rocker, of Decatur and Mrs. Leon J. Cox, of Savannah. Mr. Calhoun formerly lived in Atlanta.

Miss Gloria House, of St. Louis Mo., is spending the Christmas holidays with Miss Dorothy Stone at her home on Twenty-eighth street.

Miss Martie Blackwood, a senior at the University of Georgia, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Blackwood, at their home on Sinclair avenue.

Frank Hempstead, who is a student at the University of Virginia law school, is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. M. B. Hempstead, at the Georgian Terrace.

Mrs. L. B. Sanders is spending the holidays in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dobbins leave tomorrow afternoon for Havana, Cuba, where they will remain through New Year's Day.

James Moore, of Milwaukee, Wis., formerly of Atlanta, arrived last evening to spend the holidays with his grandmother, Mrs. James Stanley Moore.

Ray Hartsfield, a student at Baylor School, in Chattanooga, Tenn., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Hartsfield at 320 Argonne drive.

Mrs. Louis Wellhouse is spending the holidays with her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wellhouse Jr., and her granddaughter, Miss Joan Wellhouse, at their home in Clearwater, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Eldridge are spending Christmas in Birmingham, Ala.

Dr. W. B. Emery is visiting his son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Teague, in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Medlin are guests of Mrs. B. R. Barrett in Monroe. They will spend the late holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John Medlin Jr. in Rome.

William Beckham arrives this evening from Miami, Fla., to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. W. E. Beckham, on Piedmont avenue.

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Brilliant Figure Is Feature Of Girls' Cotillion Club Ball

A brilliant Christmas figure, with feminine guests holding aloft lighted balloons and their escorts carrying lighted sparklers, featured the elaborate dance given last evening at the Piedmont Driving Club by members of the Girls' Cotillion Club.

Entering in pairs, the dancers were led by Miss Roline Adair, vice president of the club, and her escort, William Cooper, and were followed by other officers, including Miss Isabel Boykin, treasurer, with Robert Hamilton, and Miss Ethel Ervin, secretary, with Harry Stafford.

All the lights of the club were extinguished when the grand march began, and hundreds of colored lights on the giant Christmas tree at the far end of the ballroom were flashed on. The procession was illuminated only by the lights of the girls and their escorts.

The brilliant affair, which assembled several hundred members of Atlanta society and out-of-town guests, was held in the ballroom of the club, which was beautifully festooned with Christmas greenery. White Christmas trees effectively marked the entrance to the room, opposite which was a large tree aglow with col-

ored lights and ornaments. The stately colonial columns were draped with rich greenery, and lights gleamed through red poinsettias fashioned of sparkling celophane.

The buffet tables in the ballroom were centered with graceful arrangements of red poinsettias flanked by silver candelabra holding burning red tapers. Completing the decorations were California pine cones used in cluster effects.

Miss Adair's brunet beauty was enhanced by her exquisite gown of midnight blue tulle posed over green tulle. The bodice featured a matching scarf draped over the shoulders and tied in front and the full skirt was trimmed with gold sequins. Adorning her shoulder was a spray of gardenias.

Miss Boykin chose for the impressive occasion a model of flesh net fashioned with a bodice of iridescent sequins, the neckline being outlined with matching pink ruffles. A shoulder bouquet of lavender orchids completed her costume.

Miss Ervin wore blue net topped with a bodice of matching satin, and designed with a full flowing skirt. She wore a shoulder bouquet of purple orchids.

Beasley-Landers Rites Take Place

Te marriage of Miss Helen Francis Beasley, wealthy daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Revere F. Beasley, and Herbert Lorenzo Landers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clifford Landers, was solemnized Sunday at 5 o'clock in the chapel of the Martha Brown Memorial Methodist church. Dr. K. Owen White, pastor of the Kirkwood Baptist church, performed the ceremony, and a program of music was presented by Miss Ruth Ball, organist, and Miss Doris Berry, soloist.

The altar of the church was decked with palms and ferns interspersed with candelabra holding burning white tapers. Floor baskets filled with white calla lilies and gladioli completed the decorations. Marking the pews reserved for members of the families were clusters of white gladioli decked with white satin ribbons.

Ushers were Carl Dacus and Edward McKinney.

Miss Alice Beasley, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She was gowned in a periwinkle blue lace posed over matching taffeta. She wore a matching hat of crushed velvet and carried a bouquet of Briarcliff roses.

The lovely bride entered with her father by whom she was given in marriage. They were met at the altar by the groom and his best man, David Russell. She was gowned in white bridal satin designed with a yoke of rose point lace. Her veil of illusion was caught to her head with a coronet of pearls and she carried a bouquet of bride's roses and valley lilies.

Mrs. Beasley was gowned in white crepe with which she wore black accessories and a shoulder bouquet of Briarcliff roses. Mrs. Landers chose for her son's wedding a model of black crepe with which she wore a dusty pink velvet hat and a shoulder spray of Briarcliff roses.

Mr. Landers and his bride left for a wedding trip to New Orleans and upon their return they will reside at 569 Brownwood avenue. Mrs. Landers chose for traveling a model of pink sheet wool with which she wore brown accessories and a shoulder spray of orchids.

Among out-of-town guests attending the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Landers, of Marietta, Mrs. W. L. Manning and Miss Jewel Fleming, of Louisville, Ky., and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Michael, of Tucker.



MISS MAIBELLE SWIFT DICKEY.

Miss Maibelle Swift Dickey's Engagement To Mr. Barnett, of New York, Announced

Highlighting the Yuletide social interest is the announcement made today by Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dickey of the engagement and approaching marriage of their only daughter, Miss Maibelle Swift Dickey, to Raymond T. Barnett, of New York City and Larchmont, N. Y. The betrothal attracts sincere and cordial interest, due to the prominence of the two families, and the popularity of Miss Dickey, here and in the east.

The bride-elect, who is numbered among the most beautiful members of the younger set, is the granddaughter of the late Mrs. Lena Swift Huntley and the late Charles Thomas Swift, who served as a captain in the War Between the States. On her paternal side she is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James LaFayette Dickey, her forebears being listed among prominent pioneer citizens who contributed to the building and growth of Atlanta. Miss Dickey's brothers are Thomas Swift Dickey and James LaFayette Dickey.

Mr. Barnett, like his bride-

elect, is a member of well-known families.

He began his business career as an architect with Laurence M. Loeb. Later he became associated in business with his father in the Barnett Building Corporation. He now holds the position of manager of the real estate department of the Atlantic Municipal Corporation and the Bonded Municipal Corporation, companies having holdings throughout the United States. He is also president of Raymond T. Barnett, Inc., with insurance offices in New Rochelle, N. Y.

Mr. Barnett is a member of the Sunset Knolls Golf Club in Briarcliff, N. Y.; Salisbury Country Club, in Westbury, L. I.; Luciferine-in-Maine Country Club; Westchester Air Pilots' Association, and the New York State Aviation Association.

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Fritz Orr entertains at a skating party at his club for a group of young boys.

Dinner dance takes place at the Mirador Room of the Capital City Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Howard entertain at their camp on Union road for Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Milton Sr., of Birmingham, Ala., and later Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lyons entertain at a dinner party at their home on Ervin avenue.

Atlanta Division, 195, G. I. A. to B. of L. E., hold installation of officers at 8 o'clock at the Red Men's Wigwam, 160 Central avenue, S. E.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taulman and Miss Helen Taulman entertain at a breakfast at their home on Club drive for Misses Margaret Winship and Barbara Indell, debutantes.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton McKinney entertain at a cocktail party at their home on Peachtree road for Misses Margaret Winship and Barbara Indell, debutantes.

Among out-of-town guests attending the ceremony were Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Craig, of Walhalla, S. C.; Miss Louise Wadsworth, of Newnan; Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. John Wallace, of Fort Leavenworth, Kan.; Bruce Kerr, of Chattanooga, Tenn.; Mrs. Howard Loveless, of Chickamauga; Mrs. W. D. Sims, of Orlando, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. Grover Willis, of Columbus; Barron Cornett, of Bluefield, W. Va.; Miss Mae Moring, of Charlotte, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. John Booth, of New Orleans, La.; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Braswell Jr., of LaGrange, and Charles Nall, of New York City.

Miss Sara Burns entertains at a bridge party for Miss Martha Verdi, bride-elect.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ostler entertain at open house at their home on Barnett street for their guests, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Ballinger, of New York.

sion was caught to her hair with a coronet of orange blossoms and her only ornament was an exquisite necklace of Wedgwood blue. She carried a bouquet of bouvardia and valley lilies showered with swansonia.

Mrs. Carpenter, mother of the bride, was gowned in a model of seashell blue crepe with which she wore matching accessories and a shoulder bouquet of bronze orchids.

Mrs. McNair chose for her son's wedding a gown of frost rose crepe. Matching accessories and a shoulder spray of purple orchids completed her costume.

Mr. McNair and his bride left for a wedding trip to Florida and upon their return they will reside in Atlanta where they will become popular acquisitions to the young married contingent.

Mrs. McNair chose for traveling a spring blue wool angora suit applied with wool flowers. A matching hat trimmed with squirrel fur and a jacket of squirrel completed her costume. Adorning her shoulder was a sprig of purple orchids.

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Sorority Dance.

The Gamma chapter of the Phi Kappa Alpha sorority held a script dance Saturday evening at the Georgian Terrace hotel.

Chaperons were Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Clements, Mr. and Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Womack, and Mrs. Hart.



CHRISTMAS EVE.

Dr. and Mrs. Mark P. Fenestec entertain at a supper dance at the Piedmont Driving Club, formally presenting their debutante daughter, Miss Jean Penecost, to Atlanta society.

The marriage of Miss Dorothy Thompson and Clarence Leon Greene Jr. takes place at 8 o'clock at the Church of the Incarnation.

The marriage of Miss Margaret Hooper and Herbert Clay Grogan, of this city and Charlotte, N. C., takes place at 5:30 o'clock at the Park Street Methodist church.

Mrs. Walter Taulman and Miss Helen Taulman entertain at a breakfast at their home on Club drive for Misses Margaret Winship and Barbara Indell, debutantes.

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Among outstanding annual events of the Yuletide season is the series of affairs given by members of the Ballyhoo Club at the Standard Club on Ponce de Leon avenue. The first of the brilliant parties planned will be the costume party to be held this evening, the affair to assemble several hundred members of society and out-of-town holiday guests.

Entering with her father, Dr. Robert L. Logan, by whom she was given in marriage, the lovely bride was met at the altar by the groom and his brother, Sidney Burroughs, who was best man. The bride's titian beauty was offset by her wedding gown of white satin fashioned with a bodice of rose point lace. Her long tulle veil fell in graceful folds from a cluster of orange blossoms, arranged in a wreath across the back of her head. She carried a bouquet of valley lilies and gardenias.

Mrs. Logan, mother of the bride, was gowned in black velvet trimmed in seed pearls. Her flowers were gardenias. Mrs. Burroughs, mother of the groom, wore blue crepe and her flowers were carnations.

The radiant young bride entered with her father, by whom she was given in marriage. They were met at the altar by the groom and his best man, Dr. Howard M. Phillips. She was gowned in white gros de Londres taffeta and silk jersey with the bodice featuring a Grecian draped effect that crossed at the shoulders to form a sweetheart neckline. The three-quarter-length sleeves were shirred at the elbow in the Georgian Terrace hotel.

Chaperons were Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Clements, Mr. and Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Womack, and Mrs. Hart.

Her finger-tip veil of illu-

Miss Martha Logan Weds Stiles Burroughs at Chapel

Miss Martha Ann Logan, lovely daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert L. Logan, became the bride of Stiles Burroughs Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Burroughs, yesterday afternoon at an impressive ceremony taking place in the Winship Chapel of the First Presbyterian church.

Dr. William V. Gardner, the pastor, officiated at 4:30 o'clock in the presence of a limited number of relatives and friends of the young couple. A musical program was presented on the organ by Dr. Charles Sheldon.

An effective arrangement of greenery was used to adorn the altar in the chapel. Palms, woodwardia ferns and tall pedestal baskets of Easter lilies formed the background before which were placed cathedral candelabra holding burning tapers.

Ushers were E. M. Ransom Jr., William Carroll, William Akers Jr., and Herbert Reynolds Jr.

Miss Ruth Middlebrooks was maid of honor and only attendant of her cousin. She was becomingly gowned in candlelight yellow tulle, the bodice fashioned of white cloth of the same shade. She carried a shower bouquet of red orchids.

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Miss Jean Ray And Lt. Murray Wed in Missouri

WEBSTER GROVES, Mo., Dec. 23.—The marriage of Miss Helen Jean Ray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Barrett Roy, of this city, formerly of Atlanta, to Lieutenant Harry Lawrason Murray Jr., U. S. A., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lawrason Murray, of St. Louis, Mo., took place here this evening.

Full military customs were observed in the candlelight ceremony which was performed by the Rev. Roy Calvin Dobson at the First Presbyterian church, after which a reception was held at Algonquin Country Club.

Miss Peggy Ray was the bride's maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Misses Marjorie Armstrong, of Atlanta; Sue Bagby, of New Haven, Mo.; Betty Bolz and Marjorie Deane Murray, sisters of the groom and a debutante in last season. All were gowned alike in a moon blue faille taffeta made on period lines. Their hats matched in color and were in the motif effect, with long streamers. Miss Peggy Ray carried a shower bouquet of blue snapdragons, and the bridesmaids carried similar bouquets of yellow snapdragons.

Lieutenant John J. Nilan, of Fort Jackson, S. C., was best man, and groomsmen were Lieutenants Carl Hollstein, Benjamin Bissell; James Morris and Vincent Keator. Ushers were Joseph McLain Stewart, James C. Knight, John N. Martin, Calvin M. Christy and Arthur K. Howell Jr., cousin of Lieutenant Murray.

Mr. Roy, father of the bride, gave her in marriage. Her brunet beauty was accentuated by her ivory duchess satin gown, the heart-shaped neck being outlined with eyelet embroidery and seed pearls. A veil of ivory tulle was fastened to satin coronet edged with a spray of orange blossoms and lined across the back with duchesse lace. The bride carried a bouquet of white violets centered with white orchids.

Mrs. Edgar Barrett Roy, mother of the bride, wore a turquoise crepe gown, threaded with gold, and her hat was of dusty pink, trimmed with flowers of the same shades of pink and turquoise. Her flowers were of pink orchids. Mrs. Harry Lawrason Murray, mother of the groom, was gowned in black and coral. A small hat of coral completed her costume and she wore a cluster of green orchids.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Arthur Armstrong, of Atlanta; Mrs. Alan Z. Van Natta, of St. Joseph, Mo., sister of Mrs. Murray, and Mrs. Mrs. Major Cook, of Fayette, Mo.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Murray left for a wedding trip to Sea Island, Ga., and after January will reside at 2227 Wallace street, Columbia, S. C.

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Kitty Foyle

by
CHRISTOPHER MORLEY

A Story of the American
White-Collar Girl

INSTALLMENT XX.

SYNOPSIS.
This is the story of Kitty Foyle, the all-American white-collar girl. She is telling it to herself, musing as most of us do sometimes. It is all very confidential... and true. As she looks back over her twenty-eight years she realizes that she has been a good girl. She has lived her lifetime while all the years before her had been preparing for this last ten. From her Pennsylvania Dutch mother came strong common sense; from her Irish father came her humor, her sentiment and her dreams. Dear old "Pop" was a wit, a jester, a philosopher, a poet, a cricket. It was Pop who had really taught her what it was all about and he died when she was only ten. Wyn... and all that love could mean. But then Kitty got in Illinois with her Aunt and Uncle. Her mother died, and somehow the folks are narrower than Pop, even to a small girl just beginning life. The new people are more formal, more polished, more making the best of that painful process. But now Kitty, after attending school in the middle west, from home to Aunt and Uncle, has a back hump. Phillip for her vacation... she and her Pop are at the shore... AND NOW KITTY FOYLE TALKING:

pretty Bohemian and top of the world. There was a frightful roar outside and a hunk of raw cabbage came whistling through the open window and a paste of ancient carrots flopped on the sill. Some of the boys had amused themselves by loading up the old Civil War cannon that stood on the lawn outside pointing right at Selfridge Hall. They filled it with dead vegetables, packed in a big charge of gunpowder, and touched her off. The front of the building was a macedoine salad, a lot of windows were busted and of course we thought it was a gallant and carefree touch. While the girls were all running round in a thrill of outrage and Mrs. Bascom was giving the dean of men hell on the phone, my telegram arrived. It was from Mac. Pop had a stroke and I better come home at once.

I had studied the catalogue so carefully that when Dean Bascom gave us her opening blast on ethics for college women it seemed like old stuff. There was a bit of a riot about it afterward because two of the sophomore boys had got in on a bet, dressed up as girls. Of course all that chat about personal hygiene, purity and blindex dates, was supposed to be rather confidential.

It was a good talk. I can hear Bascom telling us what all we were going to learn in our academic career. There was self-control, and democratic social relations, an itemized budget and not too much lipstick and what to do about sororities. She had all the answers in the back of the book. What sounded most educational was something called extracurricular load. Molly whispered, That means carrying your stuff upstairs.

It was a big time to be starting at Prairie. The college had just figured out culture into streamlined units, and was sort of air-conditioning itself. Respect for tradition with a forward look was the idea. Looking forward there was the new library, just finished; we went and looked at it in reverence and thought of all the fine books we were going to read. Looking backward it was the original Sitting Room in Old Founders which was kept just the way it was when Abe Lincoln sat in a rocking chair and figured out a debate he was going to make.

It seems like every time Lincoln made a speech in that neighborhood somebody was on hand to contradict him. It's great country for argument. Anyhow the historical sitting room still smelled about 1850, sort of lacking in personal hygiene. I don't suppose those old troupers like Lincoln and Douglas had much chance to dust off their clothes, but Molly was mad about the period horse-hair furniture. There was a pageant planned, they were going to act out Lincoln and Douglas and everybody appear in costumes. So as a fact the best I remember of my 10 days at college was getting ready a crinoline I never wore and a couple of classes in American Literature Before 1870. Wyn said, "As far as I can see you got everything in American literature down to Cotton Mather." All I remember of Cotton Mather was that he wrote something about magnolia.

The fees were paid, and the notebooks bought, and all the freshmen took a drag at a cigarette in the smoking room just opened for women. The historical pageant was to take place next day, several hundred alumni in costume, and even the Q railroad promised to throw a little less sot on the campus, for one afternoon. Molly and I were up in the room, wearing our new kimonos and feeling sort of said to myself, Let some-

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didacides must be able to pass a written examination if lacking college credits. The general scope of the educational examination given to young men not possessing the requisite college credits includes questions in history, English, grammar, composition, geography, arithmetic, advanced algebra, geometry, trigonometry and elementary physics.

Others have been attending "prep" schools privately developed by Junior Chamber of Commerce groups. Consult the secretary of the local Junior Chamber of Commerce, if there is one located in your community, concerning information as to these preparatory courses.

Applicants for flying cadet can-

What every Soldier and his family should Know. by CAPT. GENE MORGAN.

"Must I have two years' college credits in order to secure an appointment as an army flying cadet?"

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However, ambitious young men who lack such educational qualifications still may secure appointments as flying cadets. Many have enlisted for three years as privates in the regular army, and have taken advantage of the opportunity for flying cadet training by preparing for the educational examinations. They have done this in a manner similar to that which many others have used in preparing for West Point entrance examinations. These methods are through correspondence courses and attendance at various regular army schools of instruction.

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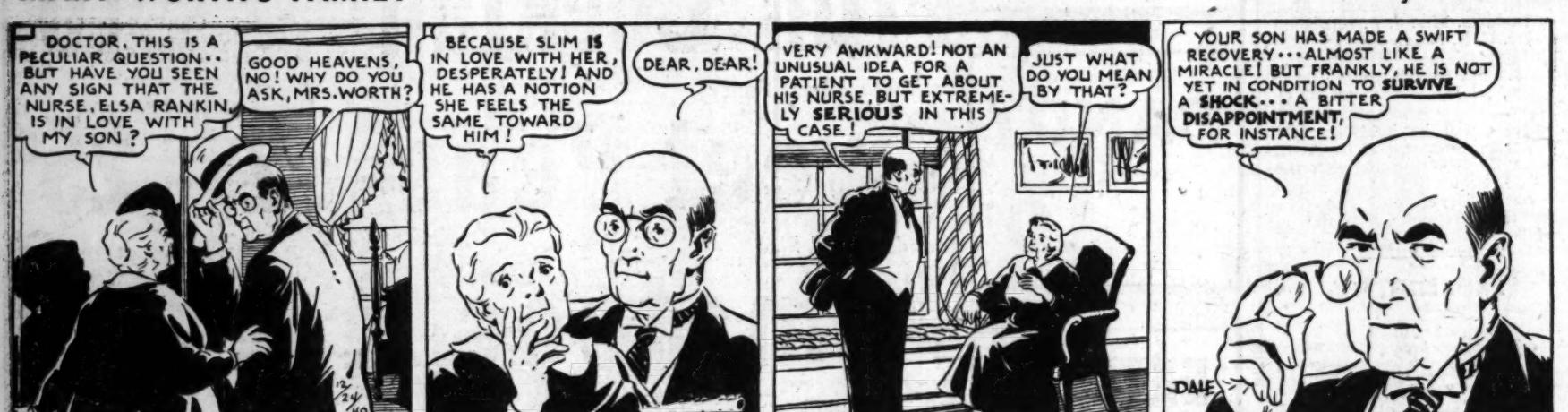
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Today's Hour-by-Hour Calendar

WGST, 890 Kc. WSB, 740 Kc. WAGA, 1450 Kc. WATL, 1370 Kc.

Note: Where no listing is given, last program in preceding listing is continued.

5:30 A. M. WSB—Farm Hour; 5:35, News.

6 A. M. WGST—Glen Miller's Music; 9:15, News; 10:15, Super Dance Melodies.

WSB—Bob Hope; 6:15, Merry-Go-Round.

WATL—8:05, Morning Varieties.

6:30 A. M. WGST—Happy Dan's Folks; 8:45, Hal Burns' Varieties.

WSB—Happy Dan's Folks; 8:45, Merry-Go-Round.

WAGA—8:45, Pickin'-Up.

WATL—Top of the Morning; 8:45, Charlie Smithing.

7 A. M. WGST—News; 10:05. To be announced; 10:15, Office of Government Reports.

WSB—Perry Como; 10:15, News.

WAGA—Dance Varieties; 10:15, Tony Pastor's Music.

WATL—News; 10:15, Interlude; 10:15, To be announced.

10:30 P. M. WGST—Portuguese Call.

WSB—Uncle Waltie Doghouse.

WAGA—Christmas Greeting.

WATL—Swingin' in Dixie; 9:45, Paul Pendavis' Music.

11 P. M. WGST—News; 10:45. To be announced; 11:15, Office of Government Reports.

WSB—Perry Como; 10:45, News.

WAGA—Dance Varieties; 10:45, Tony Pastor's Music.

WATL—News; 10:45, Interlude; 10:45, To be announced.

11:30 P. M. WGST—News; 10:35. Christmas Music by Monks of St. Meinrad's Abbey.

WSB—Western Bureau News; 10:35, Pan-American.

WAGA—Vocal; 10:35, 10:45, Merry-Go-Round.

8 A. M. WGST—News and Sundial; 8:10, News; 8:15, News and Sundial.

WSB—Morning Program; 8:15, News.

WAGA—1:15, Irving Miller's Music.

WATL—News; 1:15, Charlie Smithing.

7:30 A. M. WGST—News; 7:45, News; 7:55, News.

WSB—8:30, News and Sundial.

WAGA—8:35, Atlanta Constitution News.

WATL—Armand Miller's Barrel; 8:45, Gospel Singers.

9 A. M. WGST—Arnold Grimm's Daughter; 9:15, Myrt. Marg.

WSB—News and Women in Headlines; 9:15, End Day.

WAGA—News and Music; 9:15, Morning Music.

WATL—News; 9:05, Jack Leonard; 9:15, Melody Strings.

10 A. M. WGST—Midnight Mass.

WSB—Sleepy Hollow.

WAGA—Sign off.

WATL—Midnight Mass.

12:30 A. M. WGST—Midnight Mass.

WSB—Sign off.

WATL—Midnight Rhythm.

1 A. M. WGST—Midnight Mass.

WATL—News; 1:05, Sign off.

1:30 A. M. WGST—Sign off.

11:30 P. M. WGST—Atlanta Constitution News; 11:05, Music That You Want.

WSB—Midnight Mass.

WAGA—Sign off.

WATL—Midnight Rhythm.

12 Noon. WGST—Midnight Mass.

WSB—Midnight Mass.

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1:30 A. M. WGST—Linda Love; 1:45, Meet Miss Julia.

WSB—National Farm and Home Hour.

WAGA—West End Church of Christ; 1:45, Jamboree.

WATL—1:45, Designs in Melody.

12 Noon. WGST—Atlanta Constitution News; 12:05, Chuck Wagon.

WSB—Farm and Home Hour; 12:15, Farm News and Views.

WAGA—12:12, Spotlight of Local Events; 12:18, Ted Malone's Luncheon Dance.

WATL—News; 12:15, Barry Wood's Music; 1:15, Jimmy Lunceford's Music.

1:30 P. M. WGST—Second Husband; 1:45, Right to Happiness.

WSB—News and For Today; 11:15, Lang Worth Music; 11:20, Words and Music.

WAGA—11:15, M. Hendley; 11:15, Glenn Darwin.

WATL—News; 11:05, Barry Wood's Music; 1:15, Jimmy Lunceford's Music.

1:30 A. M. WGST—Linda Love; 1:45, Meet Miss Julia.

WSB—House Hold's Show; 1:45, First Nighter.

WAGA—1:45, Uncle Sam Balter in Sports Talk; 1:45, Antonini's Concerts; 1:45, Tom Powers' Vocal Prog.

WATL—1:45, Tom Powers' Vocal Prog.

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WATL—Midnight Mass.

4:30 P. M. WGST—President Roosevelt and Christmas Tree-Lighting Ceremonies.

WSB—Christmas Program; 5:15, The O'Neill's.

WAGA—Children of Community Christmas Tree.

WATL—Lighting of Community Christmas Tree.

4:30 E. M. WGST—Atlanta Constitution News; 4:25, Hits; Encores; 4:45, Scattee Baines.

WSB—Alice Reporter; 4:45, Life Can Be Beautiful.

WAGA—Down Melody Lane.

WATL—Unemployed Program; 4:45, Tea Time Tunes.

5 P. M. WGST—Portia Faces Life; 3:15, We, The Abbotts.

WSB—Violette; 3:15, Stella Dallas.

WAGA—Mother of Mine; 3:15, Club Matinee.

WATL—News; 3:05, Swing Session.

3:30 P. M. WGST—Hilltop House; 3:45, Kate Horning.

WSB—London Jones; 3:45, Young Widower Brown.

WAGA—Club Matinee; 3:45, News.

WATL—News; 3:45, 4 P. M.

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Funeral Notices

DARNELL, Mr. William Lee—The friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. William Lee Darnell, of 262 Estoria street, S. E.: Mr. and Mrs. M. L. (Roy) Darnell, Mr. and Mrs. James I. Busby, Rome, Ga., and Mr. Frank Darnell are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. William Lee Darnell this (Tuesday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the chapel of Harry G. Poole, Rev. J. W. Rowan, Rev. Vaughn and Rev. Willie Smith will officiate. Interment, North Highland cemetery.

CHESTER—The friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Chester, Miss Dorothy Terrell, Miss Eva Walker, Mr. V. E. Walker, Mr. W. C. Walker, and the nieces and nephews are invited to attend the funeral of Mrs. Walter L. Chester, Tuesday, December 24, 1940, at 2 o'clock at Spring Hill, Dr. Lester Rumble will officiate. Interment, West View. The pallbearers will be Mr. R. F. Jones, Mr. J. P. Benson, Mr. W. S. Smithy Jr., Mr. Donald Richardson, Mr. H. A. Boney and Mr. Emory Chandler, H. M. Patterson & Son.

COWAN, Mr. Irwin T.—Funeral services for Mr. Irwin T. Cowan will be held this (Tuesday) morning at 11 o'clock, E. S. T., from the residence in Conyers, Ga., with the Rev. Carl McGrady officiating. Mr. Cowan is survived by his mother, Mrs. Sam I. Cowan; one brother, Mr. Rufus Cowan, both of Conyers, Ga., and one sister, Mrs. C. D. Ramsey Jr., Covington, Ga. Gentlemen selected to serve as pallbearers are as follows: Messrs. Henry Cowan, Charles Cowan, Robert Cowan, Horace Sturgis, Arthur Will Cowan and Bill Dean. Interment, Ebenezer cemetery, W. O. Mann & Sons, Conyers, Ga.

BANKSTON, Mr. Thomas Connally—The friends of Mr. Thomas Connally Bankston, Mrs. A. R. Marbut, Miss Sarah Bankston, Jersey City, N. J.; Miss Bessie Bankston, Miss Julia Bankston, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bankston, Ben Hill, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bankston, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bankston, Mr. P. E. Wood are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. A. D. Lovin this (Tuesday) morning at 11 o'clock at the residence, 3 Hillcrest avenue, Decatur. Rev. M. Gardner will officiate. Interment in Hampton, Ga. A. S. Turner & Sons.

ELSBERRY—The friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hagan Elsberry, Miss Maude Elsberry, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Peacock, Mrs. Roma Pike, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Elsberry are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. Robert Hagan Elsberry, Tuesday, December 24, 1940, at 3 o'clock at Sardis Methodist Church, Rev. Charles Hitt officiating. Interment, Chatsworth. The pallbearers will be: Mr. T. A. Chapman, Mr. R. L. Chapman, Mr. B. W. Rakestraw, Mr. J. B. Rakestraw, Mr. E. Carr, Mr. T. M. Dilbeck, H. M. Patterson & Son.

JONES, Mr. John Samuel—Friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Samuel Jones, Mrs. D. H. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Reagin, Miss Frances Howell Herrington, Mrs. Nora Mae Davis, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Maddox, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lipscomb, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hammond, Miss Olettha Maddox, Mrs. J. A. Beattie, Mr. V. S. Maddox, Mr. W. E. Maddox and Mr. E. Q. Maddox are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. John Samuel Jones this (Tuesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock at the chapel of Sam R. Greenberg & Company, Rev. S. A. Cartledge officiating. Interment, Rock Spring cemetery. The following gentlemen are requested to act as pallbearers and meet at the chapel at 1:45: Messrs. W. R. Smith, Herbert Ferrell, Harry Gordon, Grady Reed, T. D. Paschal and Dr. Marion Whitehead.

MORGAN—The friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Morgan Lewis, Miss Sarah Spalding Lewis, Mr. Thomas Morgan Lewis, Mrs. Jessie Walker, Mrs. Eve West, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Lowe, Mrs. and Mrs. Peter M. Lynch, Mrs. Margaret W. Akers, Sanford, Fla., are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. Thomas H. Morgan, Tuesday, December 24, 1940, at 11 o'clock at All Saints' Episcopal Church, Rev. Theodore S. Will officiating. Interment, West View. The pallbearers will be: Judge E. E. Pomeroy, Mr. Ernest W. Woodruff, Governor John M. Slaton, Mr. John W. Grant Jr., Mr. J. K. Ottley, Mr. Charles M. Sciple, Major Clark Howell, Mr. John A. Brice and Fred A. Hoyt; as escort, Atlanta Chapter of American Institute of Architects and Gate City Guards. He died at Englewood, N. J.

CHARLES G. DuBois, 70, Of Western Electric, Dies

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DuBois also was chairman of the company's board from 1921 until he retired in 1927. He was a native of New York City and was graduated from Dartmouth College in 1891 when he joined the Western Electric Company.

He lived at Englewood, N. J.

Paul Donehoo Funeral Rites Set for This Morning

County Officials, Employees Pay Final Tribute to Blind Coroner.

Officials and employees of Fulton county paid final tribute yesterday to Paul Donehoo, blind coroner of Fulton county for 32 years.

Funeral services were held at 3 o'clock in the afternoon at the Calvary Methodist church with the Rev. H. J. Jones and the Rev. Herman Turner officiating. Burial was in West View cemetery under the direction of Awtry & Lowndes. Pallbearers were Judge A. L. Etheridge, Judge Luther Z. Rosser, O. F. Reeves, Bob Hale, Joe Perry, Wilson Parker, Carlos Hemperly & Sons.

GOWEY, Mr. Frank B.—The friends and relatives of Mr. Frank B. Gowey, Mrs. Theresa Yancey, Mr. A. Yancey and Mrs. Robert Gary are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. Frank B. Gowey this (Tuesday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the chapel of Howard L. Carmichael, Rev. E. E. Cavalier will officiate. Interment, Hill Crest cemetery. Pallbearers will be Mr. R. F. Jones, Mr. W. S. Smithy Jr., Mr. Donald Richardson, Mr. H. A. Boney and Mr. Emory Chandler, H. M. Patterson & Son.

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SPECIAL ELECTION SET FOR JANUARY 15.

A special election for the selection of a successor to the late Paul Donehoo, who died unexpectedly Sunday, will be held January 15, Claude Mason, chief deputy to the county ordinary, announced yesterday.

Entries must be received on or before Tuesday, December 31.

Pending the election, judges of the civil court of Fulton will have charge of the coroner's duties.

Mrs. Lottie Evarts, Tax Clerk Is Dead

Mrs. Lottie D. Evarts, clerk in the Fulton county tax receiver's office for eight years, died yesterday at her residence, 507 North College street, College Park.

She was a member of the College Park Methodist church and the College Park Woman's Club.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. H. G. Smith; a son, Jack D. Evarts; a sister, Mrs. H. F. Suter, and two brothers, L. E. and E. P. Dudley. Funeral arrangements will be announced by A. C. Hemperly & Sons.

Max Milligan Dies; Former Atlantan

Max Milligan, former representative of the Southern Coal & Iron Company in Atlanta, died Sunday in Washington, D. C., where he had recently resided. He was formerly an active member and elder in the First Presbyterian church here.

He is survived by his wife; and a son, Max Milligan Jr., both of Washington. Funeral services and burial will be held today in Chattnooga.

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Lodge Notices

The regular communication of Oglethorpe Lodge No. 655, A. & M. will be held Tuesday, Dec. 24, at 8 p.m. in the Lodge Hall, corner Georgia Avenue and Pryor street, beginning at 8:30 o'clock. Fraternally qualified brethren cordially and fraternally invited to attend by order of W. C. MAHAN, W. M. C. Lawson, secretary.

The regular communication of Capital City Lodge No. 642, A. & M. will be held in the meeting room, 423½ Marietta street, third floor, Atlanta, beginning at 8:30 o'clock. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to meet with us. T. J. JINKS, W. M. J. E. HALEY, Sec.

Legal Notices

Treasury Department, Bureau of Internal Revenue, Alcohol Tax Unit, Office of District Supervisor, Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 17, 1940. Notice is hereby given that on December 17, 1940, one 1938 Ford, Model No. 34-4222, was seized in Dawson County, Georgia, for violation of Section 3321, (a), (b), Internal Revenue Code. Any person claiming said automobile must file claim with the office of the Investigator in Charge, Alcohol Tax Unit, 501 Ten Forsyth, Atlanta, Georgia, or with the office of Internal Revenue, Alcohol Tax Unit, 18-4222, Internal Revenue Code, before January 16, 1941, as provided by Section 3734, (a), (b), (c), (d), Internal Revenue Code.

FOSTER, Mr. Robert Walter—The friends and relatives of Mrs. Anna James and family, of 483 Markham street, are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. Watson James today (Tuesday) at 2:30 o'clock from our chapel, Rev. W. G. Battle officiating. Interment, Lincoln cemetery. Sellers Bros.

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NOTICE TO PRINTERS.

Selected bids will be received at the Office of Purchaser of Purchases, State of Georgia, 141 State Capitol, Atlanta, Georgia, until 12 noon p. m., Dec. 24, 1940, for the production of Digest Sheets and Bindings for the year 1941, for the State of Georgia.

This notice is in accordance with the Act of the Legislature of Georgia, approved March 24, 1939.

O. G. GLOVER,
Supervisor of Purchases.

In Memoriam.

To loving memory of dear husband, Mr. Charles Ward, who departed this life one year ago today. Gone but not forgotten.

MRS. CONSTANCE WARD, Wife.

T. H. Morgan Rites Set for This Morning

Dean of Georgia Architects Will Be Buried in West View.

Funeral services for Thomas H. Morgan, the dean of Georgia architects, who died Sunday, will be held at 11 o'clock this morning at All Saints' Episcopal church.

The Rev. Theodore S. Will will officiate and burial will be in West View cemetery under the direction of H. M. Patterson & Son.

Pallbearers will be Judge E. E. Pomeroy, Ernest W. Woodruff, former Governor John M. Slaton, John Robert Dillon, John W. Grant Jr., J. J. Ottley Sr., Charles M. Sciple, Major Clark Howell, John A. Brice and Fred A. Hoyt.

An honorary escort will include the Atlanta Chapter of the American Institute of Architects and the Gate City Guards.

One of the first architects ever to come to Atlanta, Mr. Morgan designed more of the city's downtown office structures than any other man. He was 83 years old.

Hershel Maddox Dies at Age of 63

Hershel W. Maddox, 63-year-old groceryman, died yesterday at his residence, 565 Sydney street, S. E.

He is survived by four sons, H. W. Emory, W. C. and F. H. Maddox; three daughters, Mrs. J. R. Douglas, Mrs. C. R. Hammond; two sisters, Miss Olettha Maddox and Mrs. J. A. Beattie; and three brothers, V. D., W. E. and E. Q. Maddox.

Services will be held at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Park Avenue Baptist church, with the Rev. L. E. Smith officiating. Burial will be in Greenwood cemetery under the direction of Awtry & Lowndes.

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Mortuary

JOHN S. JONES.

Rites for John S. Jones, of 491 Eighth street, N. W., who was fatally injured in an accident, will be held at 10 o'clock this morning at the chapel of Sam R. Greenberg & Company, with the Rev. S. A. Cartledge officiating. Burial will be in Rock Creek cemetery.

Services will be held at 11 o'clock this morning at the church of the Rev. Charles Hitt of Rock Spring Hill with Dr. Lester Rumple officiating. Burial will be in West View cemetery under the direction of H. M. Patterson & Son.

ROBERT MAGAN ELSPERRY.

Robert Hagan Elsberry, 50, retired automobile salesman, died yesterday at his residence, 688 Peeples street, Atlanta. He is survived by his wife, a son, Hal, a daughter, Miss Dorothy Chester, a sister, Miss Eva Walker; and two brothers, V. D. and W. C. Walker. Services will be held at 11 o'clock this morning at the chapel of Sam R. Greenberg & Company, with the Rev. S. A. Cartledge officiating. Burial will be in West View cemetery under the direction of H. M. Patterson & Son.

A. D. LOVIN SR.

A. D. Lovin Sr., 50, machinist, of 3 Hillcrest avenue, Decatur, died Sunday. He is survived by his wife, a son, Hal, a daughter, Miss Dorothy Chester, a sister, Miss Eva Walker; and two brothers, V. D. and W. C. Walker. Services will be held at 11 o'clock this morning at the chapel of Sam R. Greenberg & Company, with the Rev. S. A. Cartledge officiating. Burial will be in West View cemetery under the direction of H. M. Patterson & Son.

WILLIAM LEE DANIELL.

William L. Darnell, 66, died yesterday at his residence, 262 Estoria street, S. E. He is survived by his wife, a son, John K. Ottley, and a daughter, Mrs. Eva Walker. Services will be held at 11 o'clock this morning at the chapel of Howard L. Carmichael. The Rev. E. E. Cavalier will officiate and burial will be in Hill Crest cemetery.

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